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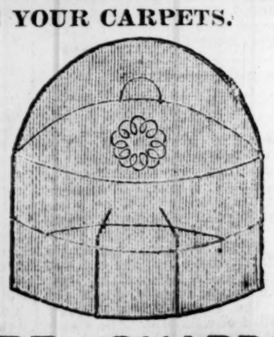

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FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

The Irish Obstructionists at Work in the House of Commons.

A Greek Rising Reported on the Isle of Crete.

News Wafted Across the Cable from the Old World.

England.

LONDON, January 8.—In the House of Commons last night the Attorney-General, introducing the corrupt practices at elections bill, explained its chief object would be to put an end to the lavish expense accompanying most elections; that a check would be placed on the expenses by a certain sum being fixed for the entire election according to schedule, varying according to the size of the constituency. Various punishments with hard labor would be inflicted for corrupt practices, such as bribing a candidate guilty of corrupt practices, never to be able to sit again for the constituency where they occurred. The bill had a first reading.

THE OBSTRUCTIONISTS.

Eighteen Irish members of the House of Commons spoke on O'Kelly's obstruction motion last night, consuming over two hours. The question was raised whether O'Kelly was in order in speaking on a motion for adjournment. The Speaker said O'Kelly was in order, but the practice was highly inconvenient, and if persisted in he believed the House would be obliged to put an end to the abuse of the practice.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

LONDON, January 8.—Three of the five Irish land commissioners recommend to the British Government the adoption of a fair rent, free sales and the fixing of tenure. Kavanaght and O'Connor dissent.

INTERRED.

The remains of Lieut. Irving of the Sir John Franklin's expedition were interred yesterday at Edinburgh.

IRISH LIBERALS.

LONDON, January 8.—A meeting of the Irish Liberal members of Parliament, as distinguished from the Parnellites, will be held to-day to express regret at the incompleteness of the charges proposed in the land system, a comprehensive reform of which, they assert, should be immediately supplemental to any coercion bill. It is reported that a considerable section of English radical, will support this view, and that some members of the Ministry do not disapprove of such pressure.

STEAMER DISASTERS.

LONDON, January 8.—The missing men of the crew of the steamer Harelda, sunk off Cape Roca in collision with the steamer Leons, also sunk, have been picked up. The steamer Scotia, from Boston for Glasgow, was ashore at Sanda Island, but floated and proceeded with the forepeak full of water.

A REPORT.

LONDON, January 8.—There were reports on the Stock Exchange this afternoon that the Chilians had captured Lima.

Turkey.

LONDON, January 8.—Private advices from Crete report a rising and ferment of revolution there, and a determination of the Greeks to seize the opportunity of rising in Greece to throw off the Ottoman yoke.

Ireland.

TRALEE, January 8.—The examination of the Land Leaguers will take place to-day, when the defendants will be brought to the Court-house provided their escort is not molested.

INSTRUCTED.

DUBLIN, January 8.—The Irish Constabulary have been instructed to attend the fairs and markets and prevent "Boycotting."

TRIED IN JAIL.

TRALEE, January 8.—The examination of the officers of the Tralee Branch of the Land League was continued to-day in jail, in consequence of information lodged by the police that there would be a dangerous riot if the prisoners were taken through the town.

PROHIBITED.

DUBLIN, January 8.—The batteries of artillery stationed here are prohibited marching into the adjacent country without escort.

Cuba.

HAVANA, January 8.—A fire on Thursday night in the cigar factory of Jose Gener resulted in a loss of $150,000. Several persons were burned to death.

France.

PARIS, January 8.—Revenue from indirect taxation during 1880 exceeds the budget estimate by 169,000,000 francs.

GOLD FOR AMERICA.

HAVRE, January 8.—The steamship Gellert for New York takes out 500,000 francs in specie.

The Dominion.

HAMILTON, ONT., January 8.—The value of exports from Hamilton to the United States in December was $2,423,715, against $2,148,092 in December, 1879.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, January 8.—For Tennessee and Ohio Valley, areas of rain or snow with partly cloudy weather, northerly to easterly winds, stationary or slowly falling barometer and decided change in temperature. For Lower Lake Region, partly cloudy weather and occasional light snow, light, variable winds, stationary or slowly falling barometer, and nearly stationary temperature. For Upper Lake Region, Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys, occasional light snow, and partly cloudy and continued cold weather, variable winds, and by Sunday morning lower barometer.

Trouble With the Ice Men.

PEEKSKILL, N. Y., January 7.—There is serious trouble at Verplanck's Point among the ice men. The authorities have telegraphed to Yonkers for the military.

The ice men are on a strike parading with a band of music. Men willing to work have been driven from the lake and the Deputy Sheriff defied.

The Ice in the Ohio.

CINCINNATI, O., January 8.—The ice at Cincinnati commenced moving in the Ohio shortly after 9 o'clock. At 11 o'clock no damage was done, though the ice is firm and the thermometer stands at 14°. Huntington, Catlettsburg, Ashland, Vanceburg, Rome, Manchester, Ripley and Portsmouth all report the ice running fast and no damage. At all these points the river is full; at some rising and at others falling, but the stage of water rising or falling changes slowly. The Big Sandy is running clear. The present outlook is for a break-up without much damage —11:10 a. m.

Gotham Gleanings.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, January 8.—The bark Admiral reports that in latitude 37.31 north, longitude 71.03 west, December 29, the schooner Florence Dean, of Kennebunk, Me., was passed in a dismasted and abandoned condition.

The statistics of the total quantity of grain exclusive of flour shipped to Europe from this port during 1880 show that 49,966,679 bushels were carried by steam vessels, and 63,376,584 by sailing vessels. This is an increase over 1879 of 9,000,000 bushels by steam and 5,000,000 bushels by sail.

The Sag Harbor branch of the Long Island Railroad, from Manor to Sag Harbor, has been blockaded by snow since Christmas, leaving the residents along its line without communication with the main line excepting by telegraph and with sleighs.

In their report to the Chamber of Commerce, the special committee on railroad transportation express the belief that it is how nigh time for the people to insist that legislation shall be invoked to define just what are the relations of the railroads to the public. Included in their report the committee submit a resolution urging the control and regulation of railroads by positive laws defending public rights and by supervision by the executive power to see that these laws are executed.

A Steamer Cut Down by Ice.

CINCINNATI, January 8.—The steamer Gen. Lytle was cut down by the ice at this port and went to the mouth of the Licking for harbor, but came out to Covington Landing and went down in seven feet of water. Her condition is uncertain and precarious. Her safety is possible, but depends on contingencies no man can foresee. Her value is $25,000. The chances, with the weather growing colder, are against her. The river seems to be open from Pomeroy to North Bend. No other damages are reported.

Captive Redskins.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, January 8.—A Times special from Fort Buford says the Sioux taken by Maj. Ilges have been sent there under guard. Nearly all the warriors were participants in the Custer massacre. Black Horn, one of the chiefs, was put in irons for insubordination. Sitting Bull's terms for surrender are too extravagant.

Dropped Dead.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., January 8.—William Ryan, an old resident of Jersey City, applied for admittance to the St. Francis Hospital three days ago, saying he was suffering from asthma. The hospital being full, he was refused admittance. He wandered around the city since then until this evening when he entered a liquor store, complaining he was sick, and then dropped to the floor dead.

Wreck of the Alpena.

CHICAGO, January 8.—The Goodrich Transportation Co. has filed in the U. S. District Court here a petition for the appraisal of value of its interest in the wrecked Alpena and her cargo, and the appointment of a trustee for the benefit of the claimants, and an injunction to prevent the bringing of suits for damages by the disaster.

News From New York.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The committee in charge of the subscriptions from the World's Fair announce the most gratifying success. They say it will take $4,000,000 to make the fair a success.

P. T. Barnum has so far recovered as to be able to return home.

A Cabinet Aspirant.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CINCINNATI, January 8.—The claims of James F. Wilson, of Iowa, to the Secretaryship of the Treasury were presented yesterday at Mentor, by the Collector of Revenue at Cleveland, the revenue officer from Chicago, and General Eaton, Washington.

Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, January 8.—Loans increase, $6,323,500; specie increase, $3,901,000; legal tenders decrease, $1,020,800; deposits increase, $13,320,800; circulation decrease, $18,000; reserve increase, $1,591,600. The banks now hold $4,319,375 in excess of legal requirements.

More Victims.

ALLENTOWN, PA., January 8.—Philip McCafferty, Michael Boyle, Peter Gallagher and James Harkins, victims of the boiler explosion, died last night, making thirteen deaths up to this morning. Two more persons are in a dying condition.

Illinois Bar Banquet.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., January 8.—The banquet of the Illinois State Bar Association was a brilliant affair last night, lasting till the small hours. Toasts were responded to by the Hon. E. B. Washburne and others.

Opened a Barrel.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, January 8.—A Times Nashville special says that the Republicans have "opened a barrel" at the Capital, with the avowed intention of buying a Republican U. S. Senator.

St. Patrick's Day.

BOSTON, January 8.—The Irish societies of Boston and vicinity voted to celebrate St. Patrick's Day by attending a lecture, the proceeds of which will be sent the Land League in Ireland.

Death of a Journalist.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DENVER, January 8.—C. B. Wilkinson, journalist, once editor of the St. Joe (Mo.) Herald and a resident of Now York State for many years, died of heart disease this morning.

Commuted.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 8.—President Hayes has commuted to life imprisonment the sentence of W. C. Smith, the Cherokee Indian who killed Michael Allen.

Incurring Displeasure.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MILWAUKEE, January 8.—Postmaster Payne has incurred the displeasure of "Boss" Keyes for showing preference for Pulletus Sawyer for the United States Senate.

CAPITAL GOSSIP.

Senator Cockrell Renominated for the United States Senate.

Proceedings in the House and Senate—Crittenden's Inauguration.

Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, January 7.—The Senate has no session, while the House only held a half day session, which was devoted chiefly to unimportant resolutions and a number of bills. Mr. Limbird, of Holt, introduced two bills, the first an act to amend Sec. 2,183, relating to depositions, by requiring notice to set out names of witnesses whose depositions are to be taken. The second is an act to amend article 2, chapter 145, 2 vol. Rev. Stat., relating to assessors and assessment of property by adding a new section thereto:

Section 1. Every person when listing his taxable property shall first set out in said list all his taxable property. Then set out all his indebtedness to all persons whomsoever and deduct said indebtedness from said taxable property, and the sum remaining shall be his true list of taxable property.

Mr. Riley, of Buchanan, desires to change the time of holding annual school meetings from the first Tuesday in April to the first Tuesday in March.

Mr. Bonham would like very much to see the rate of interest reduced to seven per cent and make that the largest rate on contract.

Mr. McGinnis is looking after deadly weapons and the criminal class and is going to see justice done this part of humanity though the heavens fall.

The House will not be in session till Monday, and that day will be a gala day for this city. All of the State officials from the Governor down retire to give place to the newly-elected. Besides this, there is to be a convention of representatives of the different military companies of the State and the inauguration of Gov. Crittenden.

Gov. Phelps will give an informal reception to-morrow evening.

Gov. Crittenden's message will not be very lengthy and will be delivered probably Tuesday.

The Insurance Commissionership is exciting attention. Both Col. Mansur and Mr. Relfe are on the ground, and each claims a large following.

Mr. Willis, the present warden of the Penitentiary, will most likely be his own successor.

Gen. E. G. Mitchell, Hon. Jesse Morin, of Platte county, Dr. Lewis Love, of Cass, Col. Clay Taylor, of Warren, each desire the Adjutant-Generalship.

W. N. McDearmon, Henry H. Craig, J. M. Dunlap and Hugh Lynch would each be highly elated if they could get the appointment of Police Commissioners of Kansas City. The former is already one of the commissioners.

The caucus this evening was quiet and orderly and was only remarkable by the preponderance of young men, who composed two-thirds of the body.

The nomination of Senator Cockrell was made unanimous. Messrs. Johnson, Mayers, Knisely, Cotty and Morrison were appointed a committee to await upon the Senator and inform him of his nomination. Mr. Cockrell was brought in and made a short speech thanking them for the honor, etc. This ends the excitement of the session, and the Legislature will now be able to get down to work.

FIFTY BARGES DESTROYED.

A Break in the Ohio River—A Loss of $50,000.

CINCINNATI, January 8.—At noon, to-day, it was known that a large destruction of empty coal barges has attended the break up of ice in the Ohio River in front of Cincinnati. Fifty is said to be the number lost; their value is about a $1,000, each making a total loss of $50,000 in coal barges. This was unexpected, as the owners had taken extraordinary care to secure them by cables. The value of such barges in case of a coal rise in Ohio is more than their worth.

New Life Saving Service Bill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, January 8.—Senator Ferry's bill in regard to the life saving service authorized seven new stations and a house of refuge on Lakes Superior and Michigan.

A Prediction.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 8.—Representative Jones, of the Fifth Texas District, in an interview, predicts the speedy downfall of barbarism in the South.

Dead.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MONTREAL, CAN., January 8.—Judge Dunkin, of the Superior Court, Quebec, author of the famous temperance bill, is dead.

Illinois Railroad Board.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, January 8.—Judge Bell, of Wabash County, Ill., will succeed Mr. Oberly in the Illinois Railway Board.

Another Aspirant.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, January 8.—The friends of Green B. Raum have a movement on foot to make him Secretary of the Interior.

Sal's Artistic Taste.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., January 8.—Bernhardt attended a negro minstrel show here last night.

Killed Himself.

NEW YORK, January 8.—Cornelio Henwood, a young and wealthy planter of St. Kitts, West Indies, killed himself in Brooklyn.

Diphtheria.

DETROIT, MICH., January 8.—The prevalance of diphtheria at Montague, Mich., has caused the public schools to be suspended.

Illinois Democrats.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, January 8.—The Democratic State Central Committee is called on to meet here January 28th.

Fatal Railroad Accident.

DANVILLE, VA., January 8.—Last night the fast mail train going south on the Richmond and Danville Railroad, while running very rapidly, ran into a rockslide, one and a half miles east of Lexington, N. C. The engine and United States postal car were completely wrecked. The baggage car, and all the passenger cars, including the sleeper, were more or less damaged. The postal clerk, baggage master and several passengers were slightly injured. Engineer Mike O'Donnell and his fireman were instantly killed.

WASHINGTON.

Indian Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, January 8.—The report of the sub-committee upon the Indian appropriation bill has been adopted by the full committee. The bill appropriates $4,526,866. Among the principal items are $1,397,300 for several Sioux tribes, $922,000 for the removal of settlements and subsistence of Indians, $250,000 for the transportation of Indian supplies. The navy appropriation bill will be reported to a full committee Tuesday next.

House.

WASHINGTON, January 8.—Mr. Briggs, member from the Third District of New Hampshire, took his seat.

Mr. Money, of Mississippi, from the Committee on Post-offices and Post-roads, reported back the bill regulating the rates of postage on second-class mail matter. Placed on the House calendar.

Mr. Poehler, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, reported back a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to fulfill certain treaty stipulations with the Chippewa Indians of Lake Superior and Mississippi.

On motion of Fernando Wood the House went into committee of the whole, Mr. Civert in the chair, on the funding bill.

The bill was read by sections for amendments. Mr. Wood offered, under instruction of the Committee of Ways and Means, an amendment fixing the rate of interest on bonds and notes authorized to be issued by this act at 3 per cent, it being 3 1-2 per cent in the printed bill.

Buckner inquired if it was not in order to test the sense of the House as to whether the bonds should be long bonds or short bonds.

The Chair replied that it was not.

Mr. Claflin opposed the amendment. He was opposed to fixing the interest at 3 per cent.

Mr. Tucker—Does the gentleman want a larger rate?

Mr. Claflin—I propose that the rate in the bill shall stand there. I am opposing the amendment. Mr. Claflin had read the amendment which he proposed to offer, making the interest at 3 1-2 per cent and providing that the bonds shall be redeemable after five years and payable in twenty years. No business man, he thought, believed it possible to float a bond at 3 per cent. It was the unanimous opinion of financiers that a 3 1-2 per cent bond might be floated, but that it would be dangerous to put a 3 per cent bond on the market.

Mr. Kelley commented on the fact that in the purchase of over $108,000,000 of bonds in the year ending October last, the Secretary of the Treasury had to pay over $112,000,000, or about 3 1-2 per cent premium.

Mr. Warner suggested that the rate of interest should be fixed at 2 1-2 per cent. It was impossible to sever the rate of interest from the time. If this bill were to pass he should be in favor of the amendment of the gentleman from New York, Mr. Wood, though he would oppose the bill.

Wood suggested that for the sake of convenience his amendment coming from the committee on ways and means should be by unanimous consent considered as agreed to. If it was seriously intended to act on this bill hours should not be wasted in fruitless and unnecessary discussion.

Mr. Claflin objected.

Mr. Frye thought the question might as well be met now as between a 3 and 3 1-2 per cent bond. A 3 per cent bond must necessarily run for twenty or thirty years. Voting for a 3 per cent bond would be voting for a long bond.

Mr. F. Wood thought the gentleman was in error in that assumption. He wished to call the gentleman's attention to the report of the Secretary of the Treasury, in which he said he believed short time certificates, having less than ten years to run, could be negotiated at three per cent. He (Wood) thought a short time three per cent bond could be negotiated, particularly if accompanied by some attributes which would make it acceptable and desirable. He hoped the gentleman from Maine (Frye) would not endeavor to have the House commit itself to a position which was untenable.

The amendment by Mr. Kefer fixing the interest on bonds at a rate not exceeding four per cent, was defeated, receiving but twelve votes in its favor.

SHOT WITH A RIFLE.

A Cold-Blooded Murder on a Boat in Kentucky.

LOUISVILLE, January 8.—A special to the Courier-Journal from Henderson, Ky., says: At the mouth of the Green River this morning early among the fishing boats lying in were two moored together. One was occupied by John Davis, alias Wright, a married man, aged 35, and the other by H. L. Balmer, an old man, aged 60 years, a fisherman. Davis was a varnisher and chair bottomer and the two had been coming down river in something like partnership. Old Balmer had been taking his meals on Davis' boat, and last night they had a quarrel about the board bill. Balmer states this morning that he was on Davis' boat and Davis during the quarrel seized an ax lying in a pile of wood, but could not pull it out. He then seized a stick of wood and advanced on Balmer, who retreated to his boat, and taking down his rifle warned Davis back. Davis continued to advance across the plank connecting the two boats, and just as he stepped on Balmer's boat the old man perforated him at six feet range, the ball going in Davis's right side, and coming out at the left side. "He was fencing me in," said the old man, explaining it, "and I was compelled to fence him out." Davis dropped after taking a few steps. His wife, the only other witness, says Balmer assassinated him and picked him off as Davis was sawing wood. Constable Whayne arrested Balmer, who is now in jail here. He says he is from Louisville and so was Davis, and that a reward is standing for the capture of Davis for shooting a man in Louisville.

Awaiting Death.

WILLIAMSPORT, January 8.—George Smith and Catherine Miller, convicted of the murder of Andrew Miller, the woman's husband, await in jail here the final decision of their fate before the board of pardons. A special meeting of the board will be held on the 18th inst. to consider this case, which is a counterpart of that of Mrs. Meirhoffer and Frank Lammens. The news of the vindication of Jersey justice seems to have quite unnerved the pair, and the woman in particular is in a pitiable condition of mind. She refuses all consolation. The man persists in his statement he was goaded to the crime by the importunities of the woman. She speaks constantly of her children.

The Reading Railroad.

NEW YORK, January 8.—The Evening Post says: We understand a mandamus will be applied for which shall direct the managers of the Reading Railroad Company to hold an election as provided by the by-laws of the company. It is understood Gowan now represents 70,000 shares and the opposition 215,000 shares.

SOCIETY NOTES.

The Week Succeeding New Year's Proves Dull.

Many Visitors Still in the City—Weddings and Parties to Come—Personal Gossip, Etc.

Miss Minnie McKey is visiting friends in Fulton, Mo.

Mrs. H. T. Simon has as a guest Mrs. G. W. Henry of Chicago.

Miss Burr, of 3412 Morgan street, has as a guest Miss Burr of Boston.

Miss Carrie Hopkins, of Baltimore, is visiting friends in St. Louis.

Miss Julia S. Sabin, of Cleveland, O., is visiting friends on Lucas avenue.

Miss Mamie Owings, of Chicago, is visiting friends on South Sixteenth street.

Mrs. McCoy, of Norfolk, Virginia, is visiting friends at 3212 Laclede avenue.

Miss Louise Boisliniere has returned from a protracted visit to Memphis, Tenn.

Miss Annie Edwards, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting friends in Stoddard Addition.

Miss Beloit, of St. Paul, is visiting the Misses Clark, of 2653 Washington avenue.

Miss Fannie Mumaugh, of Kansas, is visiting Mrs. Rush Tevis, 1137 Leonard avenue.

Mrs. Clinton Rowell, 3926 Pine street, has as a guest Mrs. Gilbert Thayer, of Chicago.

Miss Lou Hagar, of Cincinnati, is visiting the Misses Cowen, of 1131 St. Ange avenue.

Miss Eleanor Bates, of Indianapolis, is still visiting Miss Lulu Scott, of 3515 Pine street.

Miss Ella Andrews, of Pittsburg, is visiting Miss Lillie Gibson, of 2046 Lafayette avenue.

Miss Carter, of New Orleans, who visited Miss Cora Baker for some time, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Huntington Smith are absent from the city, making a visit in New York.

Mrs. J. A. Ladd, of Colorado, is making a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. Morse, 3435 Pine street.

Miss Belle Dulaney, of Hannibal, Mo., is visiting Mrs. Alfred Bradford, of 2903 Pine street.

Miss Cora Lee, of Burlington, Iowa, is visiting Mrs. A. F. Dean, of 2952 Thomas street.

The Misses Winchell, of Chicago, have been visiting friends on suburban Pine street.

Miss Margaret G. Sproule, of Pittsburg, is visiting the Misses Sproule, of 3555 Pine street.

Miss Sallie Yeaman, of Glasgow, Mo., is visiting Mrs. Z. F. Wetzell, 3707 Washington avenue.

Miss May Fleming is passing the winter at Jacksonville, Florida, in company with her mother.

Mrs. W. E. Roach, of Washington, D. C., is visiting Mrs. G. W. Mattison, of 3456 Chestnut street.

Miss Carrie Martin, of Nashville, Tenn., is visiting Miss Lizzie Thompson, 518 West End place.

Miss E. W. Lightner, of California, is visiting the family of Mrs. D. K. Ferguson, 3550 Pine street.

Mrs. A. C. Travis, of 1848 Garrison avenue, is entertaining Miss Mattie Henley, of Pleasant Hill, Mo.

Miss Nettie Carpenter, of Chautauqua, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. M. Wheeler, 2721 Locust street.

Miss Kate D. Nelson, of Culpepper, Virginia, is visiting with Mrs. J. A. Talbot, 3427 Morgan street.

Mrs. A. G. Granger, of Warrensburg, Mo., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. B. Pearson, on Morgan street.

Miss Helen Shapleigh, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. A. F. Shapleigh, of 3621 Washington avenue.

The Misses Irwin of Clinton Place, are entertaining their friend, Miss Sadie Johnson, of Clarksville, Mo.

Mrs. T. P. Green, of Pine street and Jefferson avenue, has as guests the Misses Hollington, of New York.

Miss Luria Patterson, of St. Joseph, Mo., has been spending some time with the Misses Sloan, of 3202 Pine street.

Mrs. S. B. Jones and Miss Lizzie Jones, of Trenton, Tenn., are visiting Mrs. W. M. Senter, 2723 Lucas avenue.

Mrs. H. M. Morris, of St. Joseph, who has been visiting Mrs. Postmaster Hays, at 3108 Pine street, has returned home.

Mrs. L. W. Dixon, of Canada, who has been for some time visiting her sister, Mrs. Garrison, will return home next week.

Miss Carter, of Chicago, is still visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jamison, 2901 Chestnut, and making many friends in society.

Among the coming weddings may be mentioned that of Mr. Ben. F. Gray and Miss Cabelle, which takes place early in April.

Miss Mamie Prewitt, of Twenty-second and Olive streets, spent New Year's day and received calls in Jefferson City, with her cousin.

The Misses Breckenridge, daughters of Judge Breckenridge, are entertaining Miss Stokes, of Mississippi, at their residence, 3303 Olive street.

The Jolly Circle will give another of their recherche parties next Monday night at the residence of Miss Clara Gregg, 3013 Pine street. This club is having great success this year.

A large wedding will take place to-morrow night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Isaacs on Clark avenue, near Twenty-first street. The bride will be Miss Mamie Rosenbaum, of this city, and the groom Mr. Adolph Berteg, of Ozark, Arkansas. The Rev. Dr. Sonneschein will perform the ceremony.

The date of the next Home Circle party was incorrectly stated in the POST-DISPATCH. It will take place next Wednesday, the 12th inst., and at the Lindell, as usual. This will be next to the last regular party given by the club this session. The annual masque ball immediately precedes Lent.

On Wednesday, the 19th instant, the wedding of Miss Julia Darby, daughter of the Hon. John F. Darby, and Mr. B. Pratt Taylor will occur. The ceremony will be performed at the Church of the Immaculate Conception. The attendance will doubtless only be limited by the capacity of the little church.

A large and very elegant party was given last night at the residence of Mr. Socrates Newman, 3116 Washington avenue. It was in honor of Miss Haldeman, of Louisville, who is visiting Miss Lena Newman. Miss Haldeman has visited St. Louis frequently and is quite well acquainted here. She will remain several weeks.

The next entertainment of the McCullough Dramatic Club has been postponed from the 11th to the 14th inst. The management request all members to attend this entertainment in full dress. Socially speaking, it will be the most elegant of the season. Messrs. Frank Obear, Fred Kretschmar and other young gentlemen will act as ushers.

The Assembly Club gave their third party of the season last Monday night at the Lindell Hotel. It was quite largely attended and proved one of the pleasantest ever given by the club. The next party is set for the 24th of January. Among those present last Monday night were: Miss Lillie Garrison, Mrs. Glenn, Miss Glenn, Miss L. Patterson, of St. Joseph, Miss Burr, of Boston, Miss Burr, of St. Louis, Miss Wahle Hensley, Miss Lizzie Walker, Miss Mitchell, the Misses Douglass, Miss Belle Orr, Miss Jessie Lansing, Miss Nowlin, of Richmond, Va., Miss Alby Walker, Miss Nellie Maxon, Miss Katie Orr, Miss Lillie Merriman, Miss Murnaugh, Wm. C. Little and wife, Jno. Laughlin, E. G. Shields, Richard Filley, Fred. Kretschmar, Mr. Lansing, Mr. Sayle, the Messrs. Burr, Joseph Hamill, W. C. Howland, C. C. Allen and Mr. Douglass.

The "Nameless Cooking Club" gave one of their elegant "germans" last Monday night at the residence of Gen. D. M. Frost, 1811, Wash street. The dancing of the "german" began at half past nine o'clock. It was led by Mr. Sylvester Chouteau and Miss Sallie McPheeters. The favors distributed were very pretty. The next entertainment of the club will be a party, and it will be given at the residence of Miss Mattie Barrett. Among those in attendance last Monday night were: Gen. D. M. Frost and wife, R. Graham Frost and wife, Miss Louise Frost, Miss Mattie Barrett, Miss Lucille Chauvin, Miss Fannie Wickham, Miss Bates, of Indianapolis, Miss Ella Sturgis, Miss Sophie Sloan, Miss Breckenridge, James L. Patterson and wife, Frank Hirshberg and wife, Miss Tallie Brant, Miss Maggie Van Studdiford, Miss Sallie McPheeters, Miss Uhle, Chas. B. Greeley, Jno. Lee, F. Bryan, Arthur Johnson, Legare Phenix, Percy McLaran, Charles Chambers, Robt. Goode, Thos. Rudd, Louis Hirshberg, John Frost, Sylvester Chouteau, and Mr. Harbison.

BELLEVILLE.

Miss Lillie Shipman is visiting friends in Kansas City.

Miss Josie Smith, of Kansas City, spent the holidays with friends in this city.

Miss Mollie Thomas has returned from a visit among friends in Greenville.

Miss Octavia Power, of St. Louis, spent the holidays with her uncle, James Phillips, of this city.

Mrs. Col. John Thomas and Miss Carrie O. Thomas accompanied the Senator to Springfield, to remain during the present session of the Legislature.

Miss Fannie Knabb will be honored by her many admirers with a hop complimentary to her on Friday night at Rentchler's Hall, prior to her departure for Decater, her future home.

A surprise party was given at the residence of J. B. Rentchler on New Year's Eve by their numerous friends. They were made welcome by the hospitable host and hostess. Among those present were the Misses C. and S. La Croix, Miss J. Harvey, Miss Emma Camfuld, Miss L. Keiser, Miss C. Shickley, Miss H. Rentchler, Mrs. Chas. Fuess, Miss F. Knable, C. Corrigan, Ed. Quick, Will Harvey, D. Rentchler, L. Rentchler, P. Rentchler, Tom Mullen, Chas. Eimer, Chas. Fuess, F. W. Park and Henry Rentchler. Supper was served at 11 o'clock, after which dancing was resumed and kept up until early morning.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

Mr. James and Mrs. James Lewis have left for Chicago.

Mrs. C. F. Stocker, of the Fourth Ward, has left for Alton on a visit to her parents.

Miss Rose M. Saunier, of the French Village, spent the holidays with friends in this city.

Mr. August E. Steiner, of Marissa, is visiting his father, Dr. Steiner, of the Fourth Ward.

Miss Mamie Brackett, an interesting young lady of Shelbyville, Ill., left yesterday for home, having spent the holidays pleasantly with Mrs. Mary Strickler, on Collinsville avenue.

THE SOCIAL CLUBS.

The Concordia Musical Club has increased its membership to twenty-nine.

The Pinafore Social Club will soon give another of their popular balls and receptions.

The Bellefontaine Social Club have nearly made all arrangements for their first annual ball.

The Washington Social Club next Saturday evening, at Druids' Hall, will give its fourth annual ball.

Henry Amers, secretary of the Mt. Olive Club, will be married on the evening of the 13th prox. to Miss Ella Deboy.

To-night at Prof. Fischer's hall, Fourth and Elm streets, the members of the Star Social Club will give their annual ball.

The celebrated Social Four will soon give another hop and reception at the Armory, Fourth street and Washington avenue.

On the evening of the 22nd at the Armory, Fourth and Washington avenue, the Golden Rule Club will give a grand masquerade ball.

The Social Turners Club, 300 strong, are making extensive arrangements for their fourth grand annual ball and gymnastic entertainment.

The Boys' Own Club have made arrangements to give a grand hop at Druids' Hall, Ninth and Market streets, on the evening of the 14th prox.

The Koelkebeck Social will give their first grand anniversary ball next Saturday evening at the Vorwaerts Turn-Halle, Broadway and Chambers street.

Meta Social Club is making extensive arrangements to give a grand hop at Masonic Hall shortly for the benefit of the city's poor. May it prove a success.

Next Saturday evening at Maguire Market Hall, Broadway and Bremen avenue, the Apollo Singing Choir will give their second annual concert and dress ball.

To-morrow afternoon, at the South St. Louis Turner Hall, the Concordia Turners will give a grand gymnastic entertainment, followed in the evening by a hop.

The Initial Social Club gave a pleasant surprise party to Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Macbeth last Wednesday, the occasion being the eleventh anniversary of their marriage.

Last Monday evening the members of the Imperial Social Club gave their first annual ball at the St. Louis Union Hall, and the event was in every respect a grand success.

The Northern-Broadway Club, recently consolidated, are making arrangements to shortly give their friends an oyster supper and social reception at the Turner Hall, Broadway and Chambers street.

The Evergreen Social Society will next Tuesday evening give a select party and supper at the residence of Miss Minnie Ivers, 1236 N. Twenty-second street, in honor of that lady's sixteenth birthday.

To-morrow evening at the Social Turner Hall, Thirteenth and Monroe streets, the Union Social Dramatic Club will present Mr. John H. Gundlach's new comedy-drama, in four acts, entitled, "Free From Guilt; or, Married to an Actress." This will be its first production on any stage.

House of Delegates.

The House of Delegates met last night. Mr. Bouchin presented a remonstrance to the construction of the Carondelet and Forest Park Railroad. The ordinance was sent back to the committee. Among the bills passed were the following: One leasing a portion of the wharf between Smith and Bates streets to Christ Von der Ahe and others; to authorize the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific Railroad to change certain tracks on the levee; one authorizing a settlement on a basis of not less than fifty per cent with D. H. MacAdam, former Recorder of Deeds. The Charter amendments were discussed and the meeting adjourned over to next Tuesday night.

HUMAN nature is a curious study. The other night at the Union Depot one of the depot hands, while sweeping out, thought he saw a 25-cent bit under one of the benches. He went down on his knees immediately and covered the piece with his hand. While he was in this position a well-dressed lady tapped him on the shoulder and said: "I just dropped that." "What is it, madame?" was the gentlemanly interrogatory. "I think it is a quarter." He placed it, without further parleying, in her hand, and she, tightly holding it, went away. What was her dismay to discover that it was a peppermint lezenge.—[New Haven Register.

AMUSEMENTS.

Grand Opera-House.

The Strakosch-Hess Opera Troupe chose Rossini's opera for the fashionable night of the week. That the choice was a good one, was evident from the very large and fashionable audience present at the Grand Opera-house last night. The audience was likewise a very appreciative one, and listened, with wrapt attention, to the grand music of "William Tell." "William Tell" is admittedly the finest creation of Rossini, and it never fails to draw out the unbounded applause of a cultivated audience. The interpretation of the opera last night by the Strakosch company left little to be desired either in the leading artists or the orchestra. Mlle. Ostava Torriani sustained her reputation as an artist of the highest merit, and in the role of Matilda did not disappoint those who still remember her with the glorious Nellsson. She received several very flattering encores, and gave her several arias in the most finished and satisfactory manner. Her dressing of the role was noticeable from its richness and appropriateness. Miss Louise Schirmer sang Gemmy so beautifully as to win continued applause. Mr. Carleton gave William Tell in his very best voice, and his acting was clever in the extreme. Among the other noteworthy parts should be mentioned Mr. Conly's Walter, which was grand. The other members of the company, and especially Gus Hall, Miss Barton and Mr. Byron, acquitted themselves very cleverly and left good impressions upon the audience. This afternoon Boito's "Mefistofele" was given. To-night the season closes with Gounod's "Faust," which will not be produced in English but in Italian, with Mlle. Torriani as Margherita and with Miss Annandale and Messrs. Conly, Perugini and Hall in the cast.

On Monday night "Fun on on the Bristol," which created such a favorable impression here last year, reappears at the Grand Opera-house. It is one of the most mirthful of all the variety comedies which the last two years have produced, and represents the haps and mishaps of a theatrical company while crossing Long Island Sound on the steamer Bristol.

Pope's Theater.

To-night the Big Four Minstrels close a successful engagement at Pope's. There will be no Sunday performance, so that but one opportunity now remains to hear the ten end men, the eight song and dance men and the ten comedians which are the chief feature of this excellent combination.

On Monday night H. C. Jawett's Combination appear at Pope's Theater in the revised spectacular extravaganza of "Cinderella; or, The Magic Slipper." In this presentation feminine youth and beauty, coupled with rich dressing and good singing, constitutes the leading attractions.

Olympic.

Pretty Minnie Palmer and her "Boarding School" Company close at the Olympic to-night, when they will again present her new specialty of "Pigeon, the Torment." The little lady has been well received in St. Louis this week, and has added greatly to her host of friends.

To-morrow night, Sunday, Hearne's "Hearts of Oak" Combination appear at this theater. This is the original version of "Hearts of Oak," and is produced directly under the supervision of the manager, Mr. Hearne.

DEPOT DANGERS.

A Countryman Who Paid $50 for the Privilege of Viewing the Sheds.

James Burt, about as fresh as they make 'em, paid $50 for his ride across the bridge through the tunnel and into the Union Depot this morning. He is from Malvern, Ford county, Illinois, and on his way to Fort Worth, Texas, to grow up with the country. As he neared his destination he says it occurred to him to take out his money and get some change from the conductor. He wanted to get some lunch, and as he "had heerd St. Louis was a mighty bad place for thieves an I such," he deemed it inadvisable to show his well filled pocketbook outside of the car.

He had just disclosed his roll and was picking out a bill, when two young fellows accosted him and asked where he was going to stop. He told them of his intention to wrestle with a Union Depot pie, and at that they made a grab for the money. One got a $20 gold piece and the other the roll of bills. They started to run and Burt yelled out that he was being robbed. At that they made a pretense of throwing down the money, and while one remained long enough to give the countryman a hard kick the pal reached the door.

The kicker was captured by the passengers and turned over to a policeman at the Depot, who took him to the Four Courts. Burt gathered up the money thrown down, but it was not altogether the same he had been in possession of a few minutes before. There were two wildcat bills of ancient date, of denominations of $50 and $1,000, which Burt says he never saw before, and there wasn't any $50 greenback, which had formed the nucleus of his possessions shortly previous.

At the station the prisoner, a rather good-looking and well dressed young fellow, who gave his name as Frank Gardner and said he came from Springfield, claimed that the countryman had made a square trade with the other fellow, but gave no details of it. Gardner was locked up, and the police are trying to persuade Burt to remain in St. Louis and prosecute for highway robbery.

Local Brevities.

The Ladies' Land League of St. Louis will meet at the Laclede to-morrow afternoon to elect officers.

A small blaze at the St. Louis Gas Light Company's works caused an alarm from box 43, last evening. Damage $25.

Yesterday afternoon fire was discovered in a store room on Mercer street. An alarm was turned on from box 359, but it was not necessary.

Ben McMillen and Burrell Pitts had trouble yesterday afternoon. Pitts shot Ben, and Ben literally tomahawked Pitts. Both men were attended to at the Dispensary. Neither of their injuries were serious. The cause of the trouble was the unexpected meeting of Pitts and McMillan in the apartments of the latter's wife, at Nineteenth and Wash.

The School Board Committees on Salaries, Lands and Leasing, and Teachers, met last night. The Teachers' Committee decided that no German-English examinations be held, except among the teachers in the schools. The resignation of Miss Ingham, of the Laclede school, was accepted, as that lady is now a special pupil of Principal Hamilton, of the Divoll school, to whom she was united in marriage during the holidays.

The Republican Central Committee met yesterday in the Temple Building with Mr. J. H. Pohlman in the chair and Fred Gerber secretary. After a warm dispute, Mr. McClellan's resignation was accepted, and Mr. Kneiper, who was chosen by the ward committee in the Fourth, was declared a member of the committee. The special examining committee reported the books of treasurer and secretary in good shape. The meeting adjourned to February 4.

The Liederkranz Fair.

The lady friends of the Liederkranz have arranged a grand fair, to be held at the new and splendid hall recently inaugurated, situated at the southeast corner of Chouteau avenue and Thirteenth street. The fair will take place on the evening of Friday, January 14, and on the afternoon of Saturday, January 15, which day is specially intended to be the ladies' and children's day. Also, on the 16th, in the afternoon and evening. A full orchestra will be in attendance, and a promenade concert will be given. Many of the ladies have dedicated to the fair articles, the product of their own handiwork, useful and ornamental, and about three thousand pieces will be distributed, varying in value from fifty cents to $50. The tickets for these will cost $1, and each of these tickets will be guaranteed to win a prize of at least the value of fifty cents. These tickets will not be sold at the hall, nor after Friday, January 14, 1881, at 1 p. m., but must be procured before that time and may be obtained either at the drug-store of F. W. Sennewald, corner Hickory and Eighth streets, or of Louis Goltschalk, attorney, southwest corner Market and Fourth streets, while separate stands have also been erected for the sale of bouquets of flowers and several other articles. It will not be permitted to carry articles received for sale, or to peddle, as it is the intention that every visitor should be entirely free from being annoyed by repeated entreaties and bulldozing.

A restaurant will also be opened where ice-cream, coffee and cold victuals may be obtained at the usual prices.

A series of splendid and valuable prizes have also been donated by some of the most prominent houses or citizens of the city, which will be distributed separately on fifty cent tickets. These prizes consist of building lots, a beautiful bridal dress, splendid silver fruit pyramid, an excellent warranted rifle, a silver tea set and pitcher, clocks, ladies' saddle, and the beautiful large doll which was so much admired while exposed in the show-window of Gumersell's store on Fourth street, besides many other valuable articles. The beautiful hall will be specially arrayed and ornamented for the occasion of the fair, and this will be a grand opportunity to inspect the new hall, which has been so much admired, and a visit will no doubt be a great delight to every one, especially ladies and children.

Charles P. Johnson.

From His Speech Against Cockrell Made in the Democratic Caucus.

Who is to stop the advance of this heresy of centralization? Who is to preserve intact a republic without geographical or political sectional lines? I answer that it should be the mission of the Democratic party. I answer that it will be the mission of the Democratic party if her sons are true to the principles of its orthodox apostles. It is needless for me to refer to the fact that the paramount issue forced upon the country by the Republican party makes the Democratic party to-day a composition of largely diverse elements. Men of former antagonisms battle now side by side for what they deem right and essential to the preservation of this government, and the prayer of the patriot is to see destroyed the last vestige of sectionalism. In the light of this review what is it that we need as a party? We need able and accomplished leaders; we need true and tried statesmen; we need adroit and capable debaters. The fight for the rights of the people against the rapacity of power, the venality and corruption of wealth and the pernicious and debauching effects of ring combination is not a fight of the battle field. The historic plain of contest for the retention of the government of liberty and justice for the next decade is to be the hall of the Senate of the United States.

As a sacred duty, therefore, that we owe to the party and people of Missouri and the nation, it behooves us in the discharge of our duties as representatives to make a selection accordingly. And now we are asked to support Mr. Cockrell. Permit me to say, Mr. Chairman, that in the six years' career of the Senator from Missouri, I have yet to learn the warrant for such request. I have seen no indications of that ability necessary to successfully take part in the intellectual war of the future. I have seen few of those requisite qualifications to represent the interests of near two million and a half of people peopling a territory with incomparable resources, and including the peerless of the Mississippi Valley, the yet commercial metropolis of the nation. Against the arrogant assumptions of Conkling, the keen and remorseless irony of Edmunds, and the brutal assaults of Blaine upon the rights of the people and the honor of our party, I have yet to hear from the Senator from Missouri.

Again, Mr. Chairman, there is another reason for opposition: Principle and policy should go hand and hand in party management. Is it not impolitic at this time to return Mr. Cockrell to the Senate? Look at the condition of that body, or, rather, the condition of our party in that body. The disaster of the last campaign banishes most every leader of so-called Northern antecedents. The outlook is indeed gloomy. We have lost Thurman, Eaton, Wallace, Kernan, Randolph and McDonald, and there are now left but few of those men of past record and patriotism and statesmanship so much needed to lead our party to success. We have the masses with us and Hancock would be the President-elect to-day but for party blunders. Inability, trepidation and, I might say, cowardice to assert adherence to principle in the place of a daring attack marked the conduct of leadership in the late campaign, and just in such an emergency we send back Mr. Cockrell to the Senate of the United States; send him from Missouri, the central State of the Union, a State whose power should be felt throughout the land, a State whose position, wealth and resources should guide and direct the political destiny of this, the greatest nation on the earth, and many of our people and the people of the land will ask why, and what will be the answer? Will it be because of a brilliant Senatorial record? Because of his ability for the position? No; unjust though it may be, it will be said he is elected from Missouri because of his Confederate record. The effect of such an argument at this time against the party, however wrong and unjust it is, is worthy of due consideration as a question of party policy and management.

I have heard it said that he should be returned to the Senate because he canvassed the State, and made speeches in every county, while others did not. Well, I cannot see why the mantle of Benton, Greene and Blair should enfold him for that reason, if there are more worthy and capable citizens in our State. The State of Missouri was not the battle ground in the late campaign; it was in Indiana and New York, and the clarion voice of the Senator was not heard in the conflict.

The Gaming at Monaco.

Paris Dispatch to the London Times.

An influential international committee has been formed for the purpose of endeavoring to effect the suppression of the gaming tables which disgrace the tiny principality of Monaco. Although, of course, no voice will be publicly raised in defense of the establishment, it does not follow that the movement will be successful. Monte Carlo has £1.000,000 per annum at its disposal; it has champions in all classes, agents in every region; it subsidizes newspapers in most of the large cities. It will certainly, therefore, die hard; but the attack promises to be vigorous and persevering. The time, moreover, appears favorable. Europe is beginning to revolt against the existence of this band of land sharks. It is useless to pretend that the bank may lose, for it notoriously always wins and never falls short of funds. It is known that hundreds of unfortunates are ruined every season; that the suicides, though sought to be hushed up, are numbered by tens; that naval squadrons dare not stay in the neighborhood for fear of their officers succumbing to the siren; that a spot which, with its fine air, warm sun, flowers, and perfumes ought to be a paradise, is haunted by croupiers, swindlers, dupes, courtesans, bankrupts, loungers and parasites. Nice, Mentone, Roquebrune, indeed, the whole coast between Toulon and Genoa is gradually becoming dangerous for honest people through the influx of rogues hovering about Monaco. These watering-places ought to be rid of the plague, and Monaco itself, so far from losing by the suppression of the gaming-tables, would become the center of these favorite resorts, everybody thus benefiting except those who fatten on debauch and blood.

SOMEHOW OR OTHER.

Life has a burden for every man's shoulder,
One may escape from its trouble and care;
Miss it in youth, and 'twill come when we're older,
And fit us as close as the garments we wear.

Sorrows comes into our lives uninvited,
Robbing our hearts of their treasures of song;
Lovers grow cold and friends are slighted,
Yet somehow or other we worry along.

Every-day toil is every-day blessing.
Though poverty's cottage and crust we may share;
Weak is the back upon which burdens are pressing,
But stout is the heart that is strengthened by prayer.

Somehow or other the pathway grows brighter
Just as we mourn that there are none to befriend;
Hope in the heart makes the burden seem lighter,
And somehow or other we get to the end.

GEORGE HEUER, Bard.

MORTON PETO.

The Career of the Great English Railway Magnate.

From the New York Times.

An extract from a London journal, republished in a late number of the Times, mentioned the "generous sacrifice" of Sir Samuel Morton Peto in using his wife's large fortune to pay his own debts, though not legally bound to make such payment. This naturally recalls the very familiar patriotism of Artemus Ward, who was determined that the rebellion should be suppressed if its suppression demanded the life of every brother-in-law he had in the world. It may be that Sir Morton enriched his wife in the days of his golden prosperity. If her wealth is hers in her own right, his generous sacrifice cannot be regarded otherwise than satirically. The Baronet is now in his seventy-second year, having been born at Woking, Surrey, August 4, 1809. He served in his youth an apprenticeship of seven years to his uncle, Henry Peto, the extensive builder, at whose death he succeeded to the business, in conjunction with his cousin, Thomas Grissell. The partnership was dissolved fifteen years later, Grissell continuing, on his own account, the erection of the houses of Parliament—the greatest of the many architectural undertakings of the firm. Peto has been a large railway builder in England and Canada, and in 1854 constructed the Norwegian Grank Trunk and the Royal Danish lines. He received his patent of Baronetcy the year following for building a railway, without any prospect of profit, in the Crimea during the war, in pursuance of a plan promulgated by the Duke of Newcastle, then Minister of War. He has always been an ardent Baptist, having erected for that sect Bloomsbury Chapel at his own expense. He has repeatedly represented the Advanced Liberal interest in Parliament, resigning his seat in 1866 in consequence of the disastrous failure of Morton, Betts & Crampton, for the snug little sum of $35,000,000. Just after the close of the civil war he visited this country and distinguished himself by his expressed affection and admiration for the Republic, his liberal donations to charitable and religious societies, and his magnificent entertainments. He provided a grand dinner at the old Delmonico restaurant, in Fourteenth street, the most expensive ever prepared there, and probably unequaled for sumptuousness by any dinner given in the land. There were 100 covers, the oldest and costliest wines were furnished; everything was of regal splendor. The price of the feast is said to have been from $20,000 to $25,000. Clara Louise Kellogg sang, and got for her one or two arias a check for $1,000. Peto was thoroughly American in his prodigality, scattering his money on every hand. He was and is no doubt sincere in his liking for the United States, having made a diligent study of many of the national features, which he embodied (1866) in a work entitled "The Resources and Prospects of America." He is said to be still hearty and hale, though his bankruptcy preyed upon his spirits and aged him prematurely. His entire rectitude, personal and commercial, has, we believe, never been seriously impeached.

Mrs. Sprague Defended.

Milwaukee (Wis.) Special Dispatch.

An interview is published here to-day with Miss Augusta Betzel, daughter of Dr. Betzel, of this city, a refined and cultured lady of twenty-six years of age, who for two years has resided in Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague's home, Edgewood, near Washington, as governess and companion. She defends Mrs. Sprague in a mostpositive manner, and denounces every statement that in any way compromises her character. She says Mrs. Sprague is an entirely pure woman, good and gifted, and entirely above reproach.

She scorned the imputation of scandal so far as it might in any way reflect upon the hostess of "Edgewood." She knew that Senator Conkling was a visitor at the Sprague house, but so were countless other distinguished men, and Mr. Conkling was nothing more than a gallant gentleman and a good friend in the true sense of the term.

Dr. Betzel said: "Do you suppose, sir, for an instant that my daughter would have remained at Edgewood a moment after she learned of the infamous gossip about Mrs. Sprague and Senator Conkling unless she positively knew the stories were false? Indeed, sir, if Miss Betzel had not of her own knowledge been absolutely sure that the gossip, engendered by unfortunate circumstances, was wholly untrue, she would have left Mrs. Sprague at once. Her position in the household gave her means of certain knowledge, and she knows that Senator Conkling is a gentleman, and that Mrs. Sprague is a lady, and that the gossip about them is unwarranted and vile beyond expression."

Miss Betzel will probably be an important witness in the divorce case.

A Badly Watered City.

Indianapolis Special to Chicago Times.

The agitation regarding the quality of the water supplied our citizens by the Holly Waterworks Company is causing great excitement, and a new source of supply will have to be secured. The works are situated between two slaughter-houses, the offal from which is thrown into a stream that is almost stagnant nearly half the year, while directly above are cotton and woolen mills, the refuse from all inevitably finding a way directly into the water mains. For a long time the citizens did not object to chunks of wool and bristles, agreeably diversified with clots of blood and tinted with the different colored dyes from the mills, but when the family hydrant yielded up entrail by the yard and lights by the pound, all rare, there arose such a clamor that the company has promised to do something in a year or two. In order to guard the council against being hoodwinked again, it may be stated the company some three years ago obtained the services of Dr. G. M. Leavitte, Assistant State Geologist, to make an analysis of the water in order to quiet similar complaints, and his report as submitted and published proved the water to be pure beyond compare. Shortly after and just as he was leaving for Colorado, the professor told a Times reporter that the report was doctored after it left his hands, and that the water was fit neither for drinking nor for ordinary household purposes.

A Dead Soldier's Bible.

Lockport (N. Y.) Letter to New York Times.

At a recent meeting of Charles P. Sprout, Post, No. 76, G. A. R., of this place, Comrade Charles W. Van Cleve, a veteran of the late war, caused the following extract from a letter from a brother veteran, Louis Debre, in Philadelphia, to be read: "I have been having some correspondence with your neighboring town of Youngstown. [The writer refers to the village of that name, Niagara county.] I think it is not far from you. The cause of the correspondence is as follows: In May, 1874, while on the march from the battle of Spotsylvania to the North Anna River, I found a pocket Bible on a large stone on which I stopped to rest. I brought it home with me, and had kept it packed away till about two weeks ago, when I came across it as I was looking among my old papers. In it was written, 'Henry O. Spencer, Youngstown, N. Y.' I concluded to drop a line to that address and see if he was still about. Last week I received a letter from Mrs. M. E. Spencer, saying that she had received my letter; that Henry O. Spencer, Eighth New York Heavy Artillery, was her husband; that he died a prisoner of war at Salisbury, N. C., in 1865; that she had been informed of the losing of the Bible at the time, and would be glad to have it returned. I sent it to her, and she received it last week, after more than sixteen years had passed since its loss. Yesterday I received a letter from her in which she says: 'Accept the grateful thanks of myself and my children for your thoughtfulness and kindness in sending us the little volume which is to us a vivid remembrance of one who is not lost, but gone before.' I am much pleased that I have been the means of putting them in possession of the little book which is so much valued by them on account of having been their husband's and father's shield while in defense of his country."

When the reading of the above was finished, Comrade Wells Knowles, formerly of the same regiment, stated that he remembered Henry O. Spencer; that he was a prisoner with him at Salisbury, and that he saw and recognized his body after his death.

FIVE AT A BIRTH.

Another County Heard From in Illinoise—The Father's Demand.

From the Washington Republican.

The Republican, which is always ready to print the woes and joys of mankind, and is recognized as their organ, has just received a very remarkable letter on the subject of the census from a valued contributor in Illinois. He writes as follows:

"MONTICELLO, Piatt Co., Ill., December 29, 1880.—Editor National Republican—DEAR SIR:—Excuse me for presenting to you a picture of my five babies, born September 18, 1880. I am anxious to learn whether there is any other such case on record or not. From all authority I can gather, there is no other man can show a picture of five; and if I am the only man that can do so, I think I am entitled to a premium. I am a wounded soldier of the late war. Yours, respectfully,

"MICHAEL HAZZARD."

P. S.—Their weight, when born, averaged from three to five pounds; total, nineteen and one-half pounds.

On the back of the picture, which we cannot reproduce, is the following:

"Born September 18, 1880, of Mrs. Aseneth Salina Hazzard, wife of Michael Hazzard.

"The wife was born at Little York, Washington County, Ind., May 2, 1844; Michael Hazzard was born at Vienna, Scott County, Ind., December 7, married Oct. 1, 1863.

"Michael Hazzard enlisted in Company C, Thirty-eighth Regimental Indiana Volunteers, August 26, 1861, and was shot through the right shoulder at Perryville, Ky., October 8, 1862. Discharged December 31, 1862, and moved to Monticello, Piatt County, in 1866. Both are Americans."

While Mr. Hazzard may be justly entitled to a premium, the facts of history show that he lags behind in the race.

The prolific powers of some individuals among mankind are very extraordinary. Instances have been found where children to the number of six, seven, eight, nine and sometimes sixteen have been brought forth at one birth. The wife of Emanuel Gazo, a laborer near Valadolid, was delivered, the 14th of June, 1799, of five girls. The celebrated Tarsin was brought to bed in the seventh month at Argenteuil, near Paris, 17th of July, 1779, of three boys, each fourteen and a half inches long, and of a girl twenty-three inches. They were all baptized, but did not live twenty-four hours. In June, 1799, one Maria Ruiz, of Lucena, in Andalusia, was successively delivered of sixteen boys, without any girls. Seven of them were alive on the 16th of August following.

In 1535 a Muscovite peasant named James Kyrloff and his wife were presented to the Empress of Russia. This peasant had been twice married, and was then seventy years of age. His first wife was brought to bed twenty-one times, namely, four times of four children each time, seven times of three, and ten times of two, making in all fifty-seven children, who were then alive. His second wife, who accompanied him, had been delivered seven times, once of three children and six times of twins. Thus he had seventy-two children by his two marriages.

In view of the above statement, any future application of Mr. Hazzard on an improved numerical basis will receive prompt and careful consideration.

Off-Color Washingtonians.

New Year's Letter to Chicago Tribune.

The old residents kept up the customs of their fathers, and had bountifully spread refreshment tables, with huge bowls of apple-toddy and of eggnog. These hospitable spreads were, of course, well patronized, and as night came on it was necessary to have a trusty man outside the front doors to help the callers down the steps. The leading restaurants also kept open house for their customers, although they gave the grand American bounce to the impecunious but thirsty bummers who attempted to avail themselves of the gratuitous hospitality. What with the cold without and the warm beverages freely imbibed, there was a deal of unsteady walking as night approached. Then, too, sheltered by the darkness from impertinent observers, the young bloods and some of the old fellows paid what are called in the cloak-rooms at the Capitol and at the clubs off-color calls, the recipients being ladies who are handsome, often very smart, and yet who have no recognized place in society, unless it is on the outside of it. There is quite a set of these ladies here, some of them holding clerkships, others prosecuting claims, and all slightly off-color, yet asserting their right to be treated with distinguished consideration. They like to be taken to the theater, they are always well-pleased when invited to partake of a dinner or a supper at a first-class restaurant, they adore boating, they are fond of driving, and they have an insatiable appetite for chocolate caramels and an unquenchable thirst for champagne. At the door of one of them, just after twilight on New Year's Day, stood the carriages of several diplomats, while officers of the army and Congressmen came and went. She is really beautiful, with a wealth of golden hair and love-blue eyes, and her brilliant conversation sparkles with wit and wisdom, while her thoughts have the freshness of young flowers. Two years ago she came here from teaching a district school to accept a clerkship in a department; but she resigned in about three months, and now leads a life of elegant leisure.

An Eagle's Strange Visit.

From the New York Sun.

The cafe of the Gilsey House was crowded at noon on New Year's day. Fashionably dressed men sipped their coffee before going out to make calls. Suddenly all were startled by a most extraordinary sound. It was a composite sound, and consisted partly of a tremendous whirring and scratching. It carried the suggestion of a pitched battle, and whatever caused it was unmistakably advancing upon the cafe, albeit in a hindered and spasmodic manner. It came nearer and nearer until with a final grand rush there swooped in upon the astonished company a majestic bald-headed eagle of the largest size. The lordly bird, which had come down the ventilating shaft in the hall, arranged his wings and tail, and, shaking off a basket full of feathers that had become loosened in his descent, looked about. John, who had charge of the cafe

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES.

A Week's Record of the Doings in St. Louis Lodge Rooms.

Newsy Notes for the Disciples of Masonry, Odd-Fellowship, Etc.

The Week's Work.

The week among the local lodges of secret societies has been of a very uninteresting character, and but little work has been done except in the initiatory degree.

Masonry.

The Board of Relief meets again this evening.

The order is now reported to have over 2,000,000 members.

C. S. Salmar, of Content Lodge, No. 23, Avoca, Ia., was in the city this week.

A new lodge with twenty-seven members will be instituted at Maryville, Neb., on the 27th.

Wednesday night Keystone Lodge, No. 243, worked in the first degree of the Masonic ritual.

Wednesday evening Bellefontaine Royal Arch Chapter, No. 234, worked in the Mark degree.

At the ensuing session of Naphtali Lodge, No. 25, work will be done in the Fellowcraft degree.

At the next session of St. Aldemar Commandery, No. 18, Knights Templar, the beautiful and complicated ceremonies of the Red Cross degree will be worked in.

The Lodge of Masonic Instruction will begin its winter's work this evening at the Masonic Hall, Seventh and Market streets. The work will be of a most interesting character, and will be continued until spring.

Tuesday evening the officers elect of Occidental Lodge were installed by William B. Stubblefield, Grand Master of State. At the conclusion of the installation ceremonies the members of the lodge indulged in a social hop.

The Three Links.

A new Lodge of Germans will be instituted in the southern part of the State.

At the next session of Golden Rule Lodge, No. 109, work will be done in the degree of initiation.

The relief committee met last Monday night, but transacted no business interesting to the public.

The members of Wildey Lodge, No. 2, gave a grand musical and literary entertainment last Tuesday night at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Fourth and Locust streets.

On the evening of the 22d of this month, Golden Rule Lodge, No. 109, Daughters of Rebecca, will give a grand masquerade ball at the Armory, Fourth and Washington avenue.

Tuesday evening Naomi Lodge, No. 2, Daughters of Rebecca, gave one of their monthly social receptions. Quite a number of the members took part in the interesting programme, and the evening was enjoyed by all.

Pythian Knights.

Pride of the West Lodge, colored, will work in the three degrees of the order at its next meeting.

Golden Crown Lodge at its last meeting elected new officers, and worked in all degrees of the organization.

Brilliant Lodge of South St. Louis is booming, and will have several candidates for initiation at its next session.

A. O. U. W.

The total membership of the State at the close of the year was 6,000.

A new lodge will shortly be organized in the southern part of the city.

Jefferson Lodge, No. 11, are arranging for work in the initiatory degree.

The St. Louis Overseer for January is out, being full of interesting matter to the order.

The new lodge, Lindell, of North St. Louis, is booming and candidates are being initiated at every meeting.

The members of Meter Lodge, No. 19, are arranging for a ball the latter part of this month, at Armory Hall, the proceeds of which will go to the poor of the city.

Knights of Honor.

A new lodge is now in course of formation at Lebanon, Ill., and will be instituted about the 1st prox.

Schiller Lodge has some twenty applicants for membership, and will work in the degree of initiation at its next meeting.

Last Thursday afternoon the members of Banner Lodge, No. 1460, attended the funeral of their late member, C. A. Frederickson.

The officers of Bremen Lodge, No. 254, will have five candidates for initiation at its next meeting. This lodge has concluded not to give a ball this winter.

Last evening the officers-elect of Jupiter Lodge, of Carondelet, were installed by Hon. Joseph W. Branch, Grand Dictator, and Ed. Hill, of Olive Branch Lodge, No. 812.

Thursday evening, at the North St. Louis Hall, Broadway and Angelica street, a new lodge of the Knights and Ladies of Honor, with twenty-two members, was instituted by Maj. Freeman Wright, Supreme Secretary.

Independent Foresters.

The last official report shows the total membership to be nearly 15,000.

Col. Edwin S. Pike, P. S. C. R., has visited several of the local courts this week.

A new Court of Foresters will shortly be instituted at the corner of Seventeenth and Wash streets.

The new ritual is now being worked in all of the courts, and is pronounced a great improvement over the old one.

The members of Court Bellefontaine, No. 1 of North St. Louis, have made arrangements to give a grand ball the latter part of this month.

The new officers of Court Future City, No. 3, are I. I. Finck, Chief Ranger, and W. J. Metzger Vice Chief Ranger, and Alex. Cooper, Financial Secretary.

Legion of Honor.

Next Wednesday night the representatives to the Supreme Council will meet in annual session at the Laclede Hotel.

Thursday evening the officers-elect of Alexis Council were publicly installed, following which a social reception and literary entertainment was given.

The Legion of Honor Dramatic and Musical Association indulged in a grand hop Thursday night. They have just arranged for new headquarters at the hall of the Knights of Father Mathew.

Wednesday evening the officials elect of Alexis Council, No. 1, were publicly installed at their hall. An interesting and pleasing event of the evening was the presentation of a very recent solid gold hunting case watch to Hon. A. Whitney, the well known attorney and Past Chancellor of Alpha Council. The hall was filled to overflowing with the most prominent residents of West St. Louis. The following named are the new officials of Alpha: Frank J. Hilder, Chancellor; Frank Swin, Vice-Chancellor; D. F. Leverett, Treasurer; Alex. E. White, Recorder; D. Hutchinson, Chaplain; F. G. Farnsworth, Guide; M. R. Udell, Overseer; Dr. De Motte Scribner, Sentinel; Dr. P. H. Cronin, Medical Examiner; Trustees: E. A. Becker, J. O. Churchill and G. M. Foster.

National American Association.

At Columbia Association, No. 1, on last Tuesday evening, Mr. J. C. Ralston made some very pertinent remarks on the subject of native Americans and the necessity of their uniting for mutual protection.

Amicitus Association, No. 9, failed to elect their officers on last Tuesday, on account of the excessive cold weather. There were four new propositions last Tuesday evening, and on next Tuesday they will initiate several new members and elect officers. A full meeting is desired.

Washington Association, No. 3, elected the following officers on last Monday, to serve for the ensuing six months: President, Theodore Sandburgh; vice-president, E. D. Thomas; ex-president, W. O. Young; secretary, Frank Watts; collector, A. T. White; treasurer, J. W. Dabit; sergeant-at-arms, Albert R. Wood; door-keeper, Sam'l Fay; chaplain, Dr. J. T. Kent. At the same meeting Mr. W. C. Hayte was initiated, and several propositions were made.

Mount Vernon Association, No. 5, N. A. A., were very unfortunate at their last communication. The members of Continental Association had arranged to visit them and witness their third degree, but unfortunately it fell on the same evening of the charity ball, which very materially interfered. Mount Vernon has arranged to try it again on next Tuesday evening, when they hope to see their friends at northwest corner of Lucas and Jefferson avenues, at which time they will elect officers and exemplify the third degree to the brethren.

Columbia Association, No. 1, had a full meeting on Tuesday last, with ex-President James M. Kirshaw in the chair. After the routine business of the evening, the election of officers was announced as in order, which was proceeded with. The following ticket was elected: President, R. M. Fry; Vice-President, Josiah W. Kennedy; ex-President, George W. Curry; Secretary, Samuel P. Merriam; Collector, Frank W. Campbell; Treasurer, Jos. Clark; Advocate, Charles H. Yeager; Chaplain, Louis Schrader; Sergeant-at-Arms, F. F. Voltz, Doorkeeper, J. J. Barton. The other offices were not filled for the lack of material. The weather kept a number from attending who would have been on the slate, but could not be elected as they were absent.

Continental Association, No. 2, had a lively meeting on last Wednesday, considering the inclemency of the weather. The election of officers being in order, a sharp and lively canvass was entered into, resulting in the election of the following officers: President, Henry S. Lapscomb; Vice-President, James H. Henry; ex-President, John S. Gordon; Advocate, Albert Gilbert; Chaplain, Lorenzo Browning; secretary, Wm. N. Belt; collector, Geo. L. Barranger; treasurer, Roswell D. Grant; sargeant-at-arms, John Clough, door-keeper, N. L. Windley; assistant door-keeper, Wm. M. Frazier; medical examiners, Dr. Julian Bates and Dr. Albert Merrell; trustees, Warren H. Fox, Dr. Julian Bates, Dr. Albert Merrell. The newly elected president made some very appropriate remarks, and the valedictory of the outgoing president was exceedingly interesting, so much so, in fact, that it detained some of the members until the small hours of the night came to hand. Mr. Gordon has recently purchased a farm in Montgomery county, in this State, and will shortly move on it. He will carry with him the well-wishes of every member of Continental.

Miscellaneous Jottings.

A new lodge of the Knights Militant, branch of the Knights of Honor, will shortly be instituted in North St. Louis.

To-morrow evening the members of Fortschritts-Toechter Lodge, S. of I., No. 4, will give their annual ball at the Armory, Fourth street and Washington avenue.

Selah Council, No. 7, Royal Templars of Temperance, will meet hereafter on Thursday nights, instead of Monday nights as heretofore. The meetings of the council are held at 907 N. Eleventh street.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The Ohio Legislature has passed a bill prohibiting pool selling.

The Bentwood Wool Works at Lancaster, Ohio, went up in smoke Friday. Loss $36,000.

George Covey, a senior, was shot and killed in a drunken spree at a Chicago saloon, Friday morning.

Hildebrand, accused of the murder of Hugo Veth, at De Soto, two years ago, has been arrested in Arkansas.

Genevieve Ward is endeavoring to restrain Lester Wallack from playing "Forget Me Not" in New York.

A Wabash freight train broke through a trestle near Hannibal, on Friday afternoon, killing the brakeman.

The Passaic Mills, N. T., have been stopped by the breaking of the canal. The city water supply is entirely cut off.

Robinson Crusoe, book-keeper for the Castaway mine, Colorado, has disappeared. The books show heavy defalcation.

T. De Witt Talmage, Jr., died of pneumonia on Friday, aged twenty-two. He had recently been admitted to the bar.

THE PUZZLER'S PACKET.

[All communications for this department should be headed "For the Puzzlers' Packet," and addressed to W. H. Eastman, Auburn, Me.]

NO. 1—LITERARY ENIGMAS.

75, 15, 46, 29, 84, 69 was a classic poet.
67, 76, 42, 11, 56, 59 was an English poet of the eighteenth century.
3, 26, 85, 91, 43 was a historian.
74, 92, 38, 85, 45, 79, 70, 15 is an English biographer.
28, 73, 2, 53, 17, 88, 71 was an English poet.
37, 12, 58, 33, 93, 72 was a distinguished American writer.
1, 12, 25, 14, 34, 57, 69, 94 was an English poetess.
51, 81, 62, 16, 87, 25, 85, 13, 40 was a noted writer of romance.
50, 6, 44, 48, 64, 24, 21, 60 is a renowned poet, and the 54, 82, 77, 27, 90, 68, 83, 86, 39, 9, 32, 66, 13, 35 are considered his masterpieces.
61, 78, 4, 47, 36, 65 was an American writer.
22, 49, 19, 10, 31 is the true name of an English novelist.
74, 18, 60, 41 is an American scientific writer.
80, 30, 5, 33 is an American authoress.
88, 82, 52, 75, 7 is the true name of a writer of juvenile literature.
58, 20, 63, 8 is the true name of an American humorist.
The whole is an extract of three lines (94 letters) from a beautiful poem. B. CON.

NO. 3—WORD BISECTIONS.

1. Bisect a round mace and obtain frozen vapor and a game.
2. Bisect a guide to seamen and obtain ground and characteristic.
3. Bisect ignoble and obtain a pronoun and an article.
4. Bisect a kind of saw and obtain to indent and a carpenter's tool. A.

NO. 4—A MIXTURE.

An S, an M, a P and Y,
An S again, O, U and I,
Another M, but but not the least;
The whole will name a merry feast.
C. A. A.

NO. 5—CRYPTOGRAM.

(A proverb from the Talmud—written in cipher.)

Xpa cidx qayae yece ucyujd ga u qayae; gox xpa ita xpi ind cidx ex-yaec suj pa yaar.

NO. 2—ACROSTICAL AMPUTATIONS.

—pen—
—gan—
—rap—
—ate—

Wedplace the letters which have been cut off from each word, so that the left column, reading downward, will show a garden herb, and the right an adjective meaning severe.

Answers in two weeks.

PRIZE.

A volume of poes will be given for the best original puzzle, accompanied by correct solution, furnished for this department during the month of January. Unless otherwise requested, all worthy puzzles put in competition will be retained for use in the department.

There are some spiritualists who assert that cats and dogs can see spirits that are invisible to human eyes. Sometimes, when the sagacious Fido is exploding himself, he is merely addressing his remarks to an evil spirit seen stalking by the side of the person he seems to be mad at. It will not do, however, to trust to the spirit theory in case of a biting dog—that kind lets the spirit alone, and chews the real flesh.

COFFEE CAUGHT.

After Defying Two Policemen he is Nabbed by a Detective.

Mike Coffee, the notorious burglar, who backed down two policemen in front of the Canterbury the other night, found his match in the person of Detective Stewart last night. On the former occasion Coffee was given away by an acquaintance. The latter came out of the theater and told one of the officers there was a man who had been sitting beside him who was wanted. The officers "sized" the suspected individual, and when he came out one stepped on each side of him. Coffee dexterously slipped out from under their fingers and, presenting a pistol in each hand, advised them to walk. They took the thief's advice and he has been at liberty ever since until Stewart came on him near Morgan street. The detective was close on Coffee and was not observed. He called to the burglar to stop a little and grappled him just as the fellow thrust his hand on a pistol. Coffee had a pocket full of silk scarfs and some other plunder.

Still on the Watch.

The police are still maintaining a guard over the house where Mary Grover, whose baby was found frozen to death on a vacant lot, is supposed to be lying. It takes all the time of two patrolman every twenty-four hours. They simply stand on the outside and watch those who go in and out. It is said they never have seen the sick woman and only know by hearsay that she is still inside. The idea that she arose from childbed and carried the infant to the place where it was found is declared preposterous in the neighborhood and there is a growing feeling that the Coroner did not get bottom facts in the case.

St. Louis Mining and Stock Exchange, January 8.

Securities.	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. Bonds	112	12½
Arkansas State Bonds, L. R. & F. S.	.....	.....
St. Louis city bonds, sewer, 6s	107½	.....
Mo. Pacific, first mortgage	103½	.....
Union Depot street R'y, 1st mor.	.....	101
Vulcan Iron Work	90	.....
Denver water bonds, 10s	100	.....
Hope Mining Co.	30	48
Callaway county bonds, new 6s	103	.....
Charlton County bonds, new 6s	100	.....
Cole County bonds, new 6s	101	.....
Johnson County Normal School	102½	.....
Laclede County bonds, new 6s	98	.....
Lafayette county, new 6s	101	.....
Lawrence county, new 6s	97	.....
Mercer County Bonds, new 6s	99	.....
Pettis county, new 6s	101	103
Putnam County bonds, new 7s	98	.....
Shannon County bonds, new 7s	95	.....
Vernon County, new 6s	98	.....
Bank of Commerce	325	.....
Bartholow, Lewis & Co.	.....	108
Biddle Market Savings Bank	80	80½
Boatmen's Saving Bank	113½	.....
Citizens' Savings Bank	151	.....
Commercial Bank	205	.....
Continental Bank	102½	.....
Fourth National Bank	250	.....
Mechanics' Bank	99	100½
Merchants' National Bank	102	.....
Lafayette Bank	.....	90
Northwestern Saving Bank	100	.....
St. Louis National Bank	102	105
State Savings Association	110	.....
Third National Bank	99	101¾
Union Savings Bank	25	29¾
American Central Ins. Co.	34	36
Marine Insurance Co.	108	.....
Citizens' Street Railway	175	.....
People's Street Railway	30	.....
St. Louis Street Railway	.....	63
South St. Louis Street Railway	24	30
Union Street Railway	18½	19½
St. Louis Gas Co.	228	235
Laclede Gas Co.	.....	113¾
Carondelet Gas Co.	.....	18½
St. Louis Agr'l and Mech. Ass.	40	45
Vulcan Steel Co.	400	750
Crystal Plate Glass Co.	.....	95
Buich. and Drov. Bank script	40	.....
St. Louis Cotton Compress	140	180
St. Louis Mutual House Build.	60 dis	25 dis
National Stock Yards	.....	110

RIVER NEWS.

Upper Red River is very low.

Capt. James Good, of the M. R. T. Co. of St. Louis, is now located in Memphis.

John C. Fisher, clerk of the John L. Rhoads, is sojourning on his farm at Williamstown, Lewis county, Mo.

Geo. Throop reports the Ohio closed in front of Mt. Vernon and also at Slim Island, but open between those points.

Capt. Darragh telegraphs from Arkansas River that the Plow Boy has been raised. She will be docked at Memphis.

The Kehlor has been got on off the bar at Cape Girardeau and moved two lengths toward the Missouri shore into deep water.

Hewet & Sharp, formerly chief clerks of Anchor Line packets, are building up a fine commission business on Commercial street.

A. S. Mason was on 'Change yesterday. He was formerly a steamboat clerk, but for some years has been a merchant of Alexandria, Mo.

The St. Louis towboat John Dippold, for New Orleans, added at Memphis 4,700 bales cotton and 800 tons oil cake, oil meal and oil.

Memphis Avalanche: The completion of the Tehuantepec canal would be a practical extension of the Mississippi River channel to the Pacific Ocean.

Not water enough below Cairo for loaded grain barges, but the Oakland backs out from Belmont for New Orleans. She will have a big tow. She is not ready yet, but will go out when that expected rise from the Ohio reaches here.

Vicksburg Herald, 6: It seems that the city is to be sued again by Capt. Tobin for wharfage money paid by the steamers Pargoud and White. George Denegree, a prominent lawyer of the New Orleans bar, has been in the city for the past two days obtaining the necessary data.

Pittsburg: The Coal Exchange held a meeting this morning. Capt. S. S. Brown presided. All present pledged them two boats for service in the pools, fifteen men detailed for the first three pools. The coal men are wide awake and will do all they can to save their fleet. The sale of rope and cordage was heavy.

Parkersburg, 6: The following boats are moored in our ice-harbor: Packet boats Courier, Chesapeake, Wall City and Sallie Cooper; towboats Orion, Heatherington, Hope, Hawk and Ella Layman. The Layman and ferry-boat have been breaking the ice in the harbor. There are also forty-five barges and boats harbored here.

Messrs. R. W. Dugan, P. P. Manion and Tom McCabe, well known mechanics, are organizing conjointly a stock company with ample capital to carry on business as dealers in steamboat and other machinery of all kinds. They will lease extensive premises and be prepared to purchase and sell the varied assortment of engines, boilers, chains, anchors, etc., ever brought together in this city.

Memphis Appeal, 7: The local inspectors yesterday rendered their decision in the case of Capt. John Deering for violation of section 4,438 of the revised statutes, in permitting an unlicensed person to act as pilot, whereby the Ida Stockton ran aground in the chute back of Island 35 on the night of the 17th of December last. Capt. Deering showed that he was informed the young man had a license. Owing to the Captain's record as a careful steamboatman for so many years, this being the first cause of complaint against him, the suspension of his license was ordered for a period of three months, being only half the usual penalty. The question of the $100 fine incurred will come up in the United States Court.

New Orleans Times, 6: The board of officers of the Produce Exchange make a very serious complaint against our steamboats engaged in the upper coast trade. This complaint is that they are ruining the river trade of this city by charging from fifty to seventy-five per cent more for carrying merchandise from here to the river towns and plantations than is charged by Western boats for transporting the same class of goods from St. Louis to the same points. The result of the low freight rates of the Western boats is, according to the report, that St. Louis is rapidly gaining control of the trade that properly belongs to New Orleans. They seem to admit that our steamboats, on account of their great cost, can not afford to reduce their freight rates, and they, therefore, recommend the construction of cheaper boats to run upper coast trade. We are not sure that cheap steamboats, which the Produce Exchange recommends, would put our merchants on an equal footing with those of St. Louis. Cheap boats would have to bear two burdens which our large and costly boats now bear, and which force them to keep up their freight rates or to do business at a loss. These burdens are the high price of roustabout labor and the large wharfage dues.

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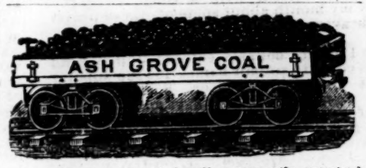

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A N active or silent partner. $10,000 to $20,000 to invest in an established wholesale business in this city. Profits $10,000 to $20,000 annually. For interview with real name, address W. D., this office.

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BOARD wanted by man and wife private family; accommodation and location first-class. References exchanged. Add. C., this office.

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Retailed at Factory Prices.
E. M. WADSWORTH & CO.,
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MONEY loaned on all personal property from 25 cents to $5,000. Golden Eagle Loan Office, 12 S. Fourth st.

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ALL Cast-off clothing bought. Call or address N. Jacobs, 808 Locust street.

A YOUNG MAN to run on the railroad. Call at Plum Street Depot, cor. of Main street, at 6 o'clock p. m.

BIRDS AND BIRD CAGES, Hartz Mountain Canaries, Love Bird Parrots, Gold Fish, Fish Globes, Aquaria, Mocking Bird Food, Bird Seed, Gravel Paper, etc. August Bohne, 625 Olive street. Removed from Fifth street.

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DR. WARE stops at Dr. McLean's, room 44; call and see him and find out what you are made for, and what ails you, and what's to be done. Advice free.

DYSPEPSIA AND ANY DERANGEMENT OF the digestive organs cured by Maguire's Dyspepsia Cure. At Harless' Drug Store, 18 South Fifth street.

FOUR sizes of the English Roasting Pan, made of best material, by Wilson & Sons, 414 Morgan.

I WOULD respectfully invite those wishing cakes for the holidays before purchasing to come and examine my stock of fruit cakes; I have all sizes; no sand or grit in them. Also a fine quality of pound cake, lady cake, etc. JOHN McKINNEY, 2415 Franklin ave., and 900 Mound st.

PERSONAL.—Lilly darling come back, all is forgiven; you know we cannot live apart. See address in this morning's Globe-Democrat. Edgar.

MAGUIRE'S Curative and Injection at Harless' Drug Store, 18 South Fifth street.

MR. ARTHUR FLEISCHER has been admitted a partner in the firm of Geo. A. Rubelman & Co. St. Louis, January 3, 1881.

MARTIN'S SHORT-HAND INSTITUTE, 222 S. Twelfth street, established 1876. Get circular and catalogue.

MECHANIC in good standing, with $5,000 in cash capital, wants the acquaintance of a lady of means. My age is 25 years. Intentions, matrimony. Address George Dexter Shafer, care Early House, 14 Union street, Terre Haute, Ind.

MME. REID, formerly Dunnill, a graduate of the St. Louis School of Midwives. Ladies in trouble call. Board during confinement. Letters confidential. Residence 1716 Chouteau ave.

PERSONAL.—Just arrived from Paris, a large shipment of beautiful goods, our own importation, such as Toilet Sets, Perfumery, Hair Brushes, Combs, Indispensables, etc., etc., too numerous to mention. LACLEDE PHARMACY, Sixth and Chestnut Streets.

PERSONAL—Mrs. Laura De Knevett, spiritualist, natural clairvoyant, trance, test and business medium, 1418 Morgan street.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. Lankton, Indian Fortune-Teller, 921 North Seventh (side entrance), between Franklin avenue and Wash street.

PARTIES designing to enter a commercial college can get circulars and valuable information free. Address W. Ramsey, 704 Chestnut street.

PERSONAL.—E. J. M.—Letter in office; will meet you Thursday evening. J. T. O.

PERSONAL.—Beautiful Mirrors, Glove Boxes, Dressing Cases, and other holiday presents, just arrived from Paris, will be sold cheap for cash, lower than anywhere else in city. For reasons inquire at Laclede Pharmacy, Sixth and Chestnut sts.

PERSONAL—New Year cards. Geo. T. Betts & Co. have only 100 left of those beautiful envelope designs for parties of two or more; call immediately. Open to-night and New Year's till 10 a. m.

THE acquaintance of a nice young lady wanted by a bachelor of thirty; object, pastime and amusement; address S. A. Collins, 700 North Fourth street.

THOSE who contemplate making presents will do well to visit F. W. Dosten's jewelry store, 619 Olive street, where a fine assortment of watches, clocks, silverware and jewelry can be found; also watches, clocks and jewelry repaired and warranted.

BOOKS.

10,000 STANDARD New and Old Books; 6 different Encyclopædias, Law and Medical Books Cheap. Cash paid for Libraries. Drop a note. I will buy or sell. Dan Linahan, Bookseller, Fourth and Washington avenue.

FARCHER HAS REMOVED HIS LARGE STOCK of new and second-hand books from Seventh and Olive to 205 N. Sixth street.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING BUREAU.

ADVERTISERS can learn the exact cost of any proposed line of Advertising in American Papers by addressing Geo. P. Rowell & Co.'s Newspaper Advertising Bureau, 10 Spruce street, New York. Send for a circular.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

BUSINESS—A party with $1,000 to $1,500 cash can get half-interest in a paying cash business, realizing yearly $4,000 to $8,000; no risk. With real name address, appointing interview, X, this office.

FOR SALE.

A LARGE assortment of unredeemed pledges of all descriptions in great variety, for sale at the Golden Eagle Loan Office, 12 S. Fourth st.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

MONEY to loan on all personal property from 25 cents to $5,000. Golden Eagle Loan Office, 12 S. Fourth st.

A YOUNG man of 19, who can take care of horses or act as coachman in private family; is willing and active; can take hold of anything; can milk; terms moderate. Please address M. E., this office.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

A GOOD girl to do cooking and house work. No. 2708 N. Ninth street.

WANTED—1602 Olive street, a good girl for general housework.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Wednesday going from Garrison ave. to Grand ave., a horse-shoe pin, set with diamonds and ruby. Finder please ad. M. E. B., Post-Dispatch.

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—1602 Olive street a handsomely furnished front parlor; also a half-bed room.

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ALL SORTS.

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COAL—HALL & CO., 23d and Morgan, the most popular market in the city. Send your postal.

BAUMAN'S Scale Warehouse.
Established in 1848. Oldest Established Scale House in the West.
122 and 124 Market street.

JOHN B. BLYHOLDER,
Horseshoer and Farrier. Road and track work a specialty.
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The St. Louis Mutual House Building Co., 513 Walnut St. Loans large and small amounts, builds houses on city real estate. Payments monthly. Terms greatly reduced.

A. BANCHEREL,
Manufacturer of Carriages, Buggies, Spring Wagons, City Trucks. Corner Main and Spruce streets. Painting and Repairing.

NOTICE. All goods and pledges left with J. G. Ross deceased, and remaining, on hand up to the 18th of November, have been transferred to S. J. Mason, 218 N. Fifth street.

ST. LOUIS Eye and Ear Institute, 723 Chestnut st. Dr. A. D. Williams, surgeon in charge.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

NOTICE—The Executive Committee of the I. C. S. P. Union will meet at St. Patrick's Hall Sunday, the 9th inst., at 2:30 p. m. All delegates are requested to be present, as matters of importance in relation to the orphans and the annual convention will be decided.

By order of ANDREW F. BROWN,
President I. C. S. P. Union.

Stockholders Meeting.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens' Railway Company will be held on January 15, 1881, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 m., to vote upon the acceptance of ordinance No. 11,528 of the city of St. Louis, approved December 27, 1880.

JULIUS S. WALSH, President.
GEO. KAUFHOLD, Secretary.
St. Louis, January 5, 1881.

ELECTION NOTICES.

ST. LOUIS NATIONAL BANK.—The regular annual election of nine (9) directors of this bank will be held on Tuesday, January 11, 1881, between the hours of 12 m. and 2 p. m., at the banking rooms. J. NICKERSON, Cashier.

December 11, 1880.

NOTICE—The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Bell Telephone Company of Missouri, for the election of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the company's office, 417 Olive street, room 18, on Monday, January 10, 1881. Polls will be open from 9 o'clock a. m. to 1 o'clock p. m.

[Signed] H. H. ELDRED, President.
[Attest] E. A. SMITH, Secretary.
December 15, 1880.

OFFICE OF KEOKUK NORTHERN LINE PKT. CO., ST. LOUIS, December 21, 1880.

THE regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Keokuk Northern Line Packet Co. will be held at the company's office in St. Louis, Wednesday, January 19, 1881, from 9 a. m. until one (1) o'clock p. m., for the election of nine (9) Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them.

D. HUNKINS, Pres.
F. L. JOHNSTON, Sec'y.

ELECTION NOTICE.—Office St. Louis Mutual Fire and Marine Insurance Company, southeast corner of Seventh and Locust streets, St. Louis, January 3, 1881. The annual meeting of the members of this company will be held at their office on Monday, the 17th day of January, A. D. 1881, at 10 o'clock a. m., to receive reports and to elect three Directors. Polls open till 1 o'clock p. m.

JOHN J. SUTTER, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Joseph and St. Louis Railroad Company for the election of directors and the transaction of other business will be held in room No. 8, Third National Bank building, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., March 1, 1881.

AUGUSTUS KOONTZ, President.
N. E. GOULDY, Secretary.

THE VALLEY NATIONAL BANK OF ST. LOUIS, December 28, 1880.

THE regular annual election for eleven Directors of this Bank to serve for the ensuing year will be held on Tuesday, January 25, 1881, at the banking rooms.

Polls open from 12 m. until 2 p. m.

G. H. GODDARD, Cashier.

ELECTION NOTICE.—A meeting of stockholders of the Joplin Gas and Coke Company for the election of five directors will be held at the company's office, room 34, Insurance building, corner Sixth and Locust, St. Louis, Missouri, at 9 o'clock a. m., on Monday, the 10th day of January, 1881.

H. D. WOOD, President.
R. E. ROMBAUER, Secretary.

ELECTION NOTICE.—A meeting of stockholders of the Carthage Gas Company for the election of five directors will be held at the company's office, room 34, Insurance building, corner Sixth and Locust, St. Louis, Missouri, at 9 o'clock a. m., on Monday, the 10th day of January, 1881.

R. E. ROMBAUER, President.
M. L. GRAY, Secretary.

THE president having failed to give the notice as required by the by-laws, election notice is hereby given that an annual meeting of stockholders of the St. Louis Polytechnic Iron Works for the election of three directors will be held at the company's office, room 17, in the house on the northwest corner of Third and Pine streets, St. Louis city, on Monday, January 10, 1881, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

B. A. HILL, Treasurer and stockholder.
WM. PRESTON HILL, Secretary and stockholder.
St. Louis, Mo., December 24, 1880.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Broadway Foundry Company will be held at the office of the company, in St. Louis, January 10, 1881, for the purpose of electing three (3) directors and the transaction of such other business as may be presented.

E. D. FOREE, JR., Secretary.

ST. LOUIS STONEWARE CO.—The regular annual election for three (3) Directors of this company will be held on Monday, January 17, 1881, at the office, 708 Locust street. Polls open from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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St. Louis Post-Dispatch

411 NORTH FIFTH STREET.

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AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—Grand English Opera.
OLYMPIC—Minnie Palmer.
POPE'S—Big Four Minstrels.

The POST-DISPATCH has much the largest BONA FIDE circulation ever attained by any afternoon paper in St. Louis; it has a larger city circulation than any morning paper in St. Louis (except one); its receipts for circulation by carriers are ten times as large, and it sells twenty times as many papers on the streets, by newsboys, as all other afternoon publications combined.

We are all right now. Our ideal navy has a head and his name is Goff. Go off, Mr. Goff.

It has been nearly a half century since the Knapps had the pleasure of making a United States Senator out of raw material.

Little Eugene Hale has been nominated for United States Senator by the Republicans of Maine. Another shocking evidence of national dry rot.

This is the 8th of January—St. Jackson's Day in the Democratic calendar—but we hear of no stir in local Democratic circles. Is patriotism dead?

Mr. Broadhead received eight votes for Senator in the Legislative caucus last night, Charlie Johnson one and T. Allen none. There was very little scattering.

There is a big legal scuffle in New York now over Genevieve Ward's play, "Forget-Me-Not." The plays that interest the public the least seem to furnish the most food for lawyers.

The Knapps have tucked away their little Allen boom in cotton and will preserve it for four years. When the time comes for beating Mr. Vest again the great Benefactor will be trotted out.

The Michigan Republicans, who have just elevated the empty-headed Conger to the Senate, will doubtless be shocked to learn that Missouri has decided to take six more years of Senator Cockrell.

A number of Southern military companies have applied for permission to take part in the Garfield inauguration ceremonies. This may be a shrewd scheme on the part of the implacable South to capture the Capital.

A general press telegram from Washington says that the election of Conger to the United States Senate "is received with satisfaction by all parties." This piece of information should have been accompanied by an affidavit.

The ice in Chesapeake bay has seriously interfered with oyster dredging, and unless a thaw comes soon there will be great suffering and destitution in lower and Eastern Maryland. The mollusk is the corner-stone of Maryland prosperity.

Mr. Stanton, the able St. Louis Statesman, distinguished himself in the Democratic caucus at Jefferson City last night. From the nature of his exhibition it is fair to presume that the change from St. Louis to Jefferson City whisky has had a deleterious effect upon his finely organized brain.

All of a sudden the Cincinnati *Gazette* is heard crying in the wilderness and demanding that Grant shall be made Secretary of State under Garfield. This outburst of patriotic benevolence can be traced to Deacon Smith's deep-seated hostility to Blaine. The proposed elevation of the Maine statesman causes a pang.

Mr. Frye very promptly withdrew from the Maine Senatorial fight in behalf of Little Eugene Hale and Zach Chandler's money bags. This is a sure indication that Blaine is going into Garfield's Cabinet. By stepping aside to let Blaine's pup into the Senate, Mr. Frye has obtained the right to the next Senatorial vacancy. The bargain is a neat one.

As shown by his letter to the Legislature, Gov. Phelps has drawn lightly on the pardoning power during the past two years. He has only granted forty-three full pardons. In view of the difficulty in getting people into the penitentiary in this State it is a most excellent thing to have a Governor who understands the importance of guarding the exits carefully.

A political sensation comes from New York. It is said that Grant is going up to Albany on the 17th inst., where he will be the guest of Gov. Cornell. He is to have a big dinner on the eve of the Senatorial election, and, with a grand hurrah, he is to be launched before the Legislature as Conkling's candidate for the Senatorship. There is nothing in the statutes to prevent Grant from representing the New York in the Senate. He is an inhabitant of the State and is thirty years of age. That is all that is necessary. The scheme is a plausible one, but it is too beautiful. Grant will probably be reserved for the English mission.

Another feature has been added to the Chicago *Times*. A member of the editorial staff has been sent to Washington to write editorials on current Congressional topics and telegraph them nightly to the paper. It is assumed that his views will be more valuable than those of an ordinary, pack-mule correspondent. The *Times*, however, can not claim originality, for the New York *Herald* has been telegraphing soapy editorials from Washington for years.

Referring casually to the almost unanimous nomination of Senator Cockrell by the Democratic Legislative caucus last night, the disheartened *Republican* of this morning says:

> No opposition to Cockrell had been organized, and in view of the overwhelming certainty of the result, few cared to even enter their protests.

Now this is refreshing. No opposition was organized for the simple reason that Mr. Thos. Allen hadn't money enough and the *Republican* hadn't influence enough to drum up a corporal's guard. As to whether anybody cared even to "enter a protest," it is only necessary to remark that some three or four weeks ago the *Republican* opened its editorial swivel upon Mr. Cockrell, and the artistic Mr. George Mills, financial agent of Mr. Allen, was sent out into the State with power to treat with rural newspapers. All the machinery usually employed in getting up Senatorial booms was set in motion, and Mr. Allen was liberally drawn upon for funds. When the critical time approached Bill Hyde and Grif. Prather were thrown out as videttes in the direction of Jefferson City. They reconnoitered for two days and then telegraphed Mr. Allen, who was anxiously waiting in this city, that there was no use making an effort. Mr. Allen dropped out of sight, Mr. Hyde returned home, moaning the loss of his watch and chain, and so it came about that when the caucus was called "few cared to even enter their protests" against Cockrell's re-election. No such ridiculous *fiasco* has ever been known in Missouri politics as the *Republican's* last attempt to make a Senator—and the *Republican* has had some bad falls, too.

The utter absurdity of the law was never better illustrated than in the two decisions rendered by Judge Lindley in the *Times* case. A fortnight ago Mr. B. M. Chambers—who is the only party who has anything to lose—applied for a receiver. Mr. Bowman, who is only the lawyer of the Knapps and has no other object than to wreck the *Times* in the interest of the *Republican*, opposed the appointment of a receiver. Judge Lindley, after a lengthy review of the law, sided with Mr. Bowman. To-day, however, Mr. Bowman having suddenly somersaulted into asking for a receiver, and Mr. Chambers being satisfied with the status quo, Judge Lindley again sides with Mr. Bowman, goes flatly back on his first decision, and appoints a receiver, though Mr. Chambers' trustee under the mortgage is in possession. This may be law, but it is certainly neither justice nor common sense. Mr. Chambers has at least $100,000 of good cash in the *Times*. The utter destruction and shameless wrecking of this great property is Mr. Bowman's sole and exclusive object. Judge Lindley must know this perfectly well. Yet Mr. Bowman can enact the farce of going into court and, under the preposterous pretext of seeking to protect the *Times* property, obtain the very means of wrecking it. If this is not an abuse of law and prostitution of justice we do not know what is. People understand the situation in spite of all legal legerdemain. It is simply an effort on the part of the *Republican* to destroy a most valuable franchise and a newspaper that could easily be made a paying institution, to make another Democratic newspaper forever impossible in this city. This may suit the Knapps, but we do not wonder it does not suit Mr. Chambers. He is simply plundered and robbed under the cover of law of a most valuable property.

Compliments for an Honest Man.

ST. LOUIS, January 6, 1881.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Will you please publish the following for the benefit of all interested: On last Thursday my wife received some groceries from Boutell's, the Lindell grocer, and gave in payment, as she supposed, a $5 bill. She afterwards missed a $10 bill, which could be accounted for in no other way than that it had been given to the clerk with the aforesaid $5 bill. The next day she spoke to the clerk about it, but he said he could not tell whether he had received one or two bills, as he had not examined it afterwards, but turned the money over to the cashier, who would be able to tell whether the cash was short or over. He kindly promised to look the matter up. To our surprise on New Year's morn the clerk came in and informed us his account of Thursday morn was $9 64 over. He, therefore, supposed my wife had given him the $10 bill, which he returned, and that he was a few cents short elsewhere. It was but just and honest, but how rarely do we meet with justice! Our thanks are most certainly due, first to the delivery clerk, Mr. Van Zandt, and next to the cashier, and surely Mr. Ira Boutell may be congratulated on having such men in his employ.

T. C. G.,
1119 Chestnut street.

A RECEIVER.

Judge Lindley Appoints One to Take Charge of the Times.

Proceedings in Court—Chambers On the War-Path.

The Fight to be Carried on—Depositions to be Taken Monday.

Judge Lindley this morning rendered an oral decision in the Times matter, which will take effect in the course of the day by the appointment of a receiver.

The Court was in somewhat earlier attendance than usual, and all the parties representing the factions contending for the property had assembled at the bar expecting a decision, when Judge Lindley announced that pressure of business had prevented him from taking earlier action in the matter of an application for a receiver of the Times. As it was, he had not been able to prepare an opinion, but as the matter was urgent he would pass at once upon it. The plaintiff, Frank J. Bowman, had asked, as a bondholder, for the appointment of a receiver, an order removing the trustee, and an order restraining the alleged publication of a spurious issue of the Times; likewise an order of sale. The bill was defective in many particulars. It was too indefinite. The plaintiff represented himself as a creditor, but did not say whether he acted for others as well as himself. He had stated sufficient, however, to obtain relief in the nature of a receiver for the property. The creditor had a right to foreclose. He had shown that the property was not worth the amount of the debt. The maker of the deed, Chambers, was alleged to be insolvent, and the trustee was executing what might be termed a "dry trust." An order would be made for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the property and the trustee's sale enjoined.

Mr. Conroy addressed the Court in behalf of the trustee. He said that it was not a "dry trust." The trustee had done all in his power to protect the property. It was his duty to publish the paper in the interest of the bondholders, but his efforts in that regard had been retarded by factional interests. He had endeavored to get possession of the property and had been thwarted at every turn. The plaintiff Bowman had resisted the trustee in the discharge of his duty, and the process of the court had been evaded. The Times property was of great value and its good will was valuable in many respects. The subscription list, the advertising and the press franchise were all important adjuncts to the property. The plaintiff Bowman had shown by his conduct for some time past that he intended not to preserve the property but destroy it.

The Court—Well, Mr. Conroy, the property will now be in the hands of an agent of this Court, and all interests will be prosected. This court reads the newspapers and is pretty well informed upon all that going is forward concerning the Times. The receiver will give a bond in the sum of $25,000 and counsel can agree upon some name to be submitted here at one o'clock. The sureties must then be in attendance. Meanwhile counsel can submit names or reach some agreement.

Mr. Dickson thought that the receiver should be required to give bond for $50,000.

Mr. Bowman—No one claims that the debt is worth more than thirty cents on the dollar.

The Court—There does not appear to be more than $25,000 in the property. however, the bond can be increased if necessity is shown in the future.

Counsel then asked about the allowance of expenses already incurred and the court said that the trustee's expenses with reference to the sale and foreclosure would be taxed against plaintiff because he had not sought relief earlier. The other matters, such as expenses incurred by the trustee in publishing the paper, would be determined hereafter. The plaintiff would have to amend his bill, and, after the defendants had answered, the Court would take the case right away, as it needed. The receiver would of course take the instructions from the Court as to publication of the paper and other matters.

Depositions are to be taken on Monday in behalf of the trustee and the minority interest represented by Chambers. Subpœnas were served yesterday upon John Knapp, George Knapp and J. H. R. Cundiff, whose knowledge of the Times' affairs will develop interesting reading.

Mr. Chambers expresses himself very freely concerning the attitude of Mr. J. K. Cummings, whose judgment against the Butchers' and Drovers' Bank is enforced at this time, Deputy Sheriff Gruenwald holding possession of the vault in the Times office which is supposed to contain property of the bank. The Sheriff proposes to open the vault to-day at 1 o'clock unless Mr. Chambers will facilitate matters earlier by opening it himself. He says that Cummings always professed friendship for him and yet he strengthens the hands of his enemies at a critical time. "You can announce to all these men who are harassing me," said Chambers, "that I will attend to them in due season. This man Cummings, who claims to be a reformer, a leading spirit of the Citizens' Committee and so forth—I can tell you something about him. He went before the Assessor some time before the Butchers' and Drovers' Bank closed and made great complaint that he was overassessed at $10,000, while at that very moment he had $100,000 in cash to his credit. That is a model reform with a vengeance. If I open my mouth about some of these people, the heavens will fall."

THE RECEIVER APPOINTED.

At 1 o'clock counsel entered Judge Lindley's court to submit names for the appointment of a receiver. Some trouble was experienced in effecting a selection agreeable to the conflicting interests. Bowman had submitted to Donovan, Conroy and Dickson the following names: Josh La Due, George J. Davis and John G. Priest. They were objected to by the trustee and Mr. Chambers. Then it was suggested that Trustee Donovan be selected, but he declined to serve. Bowman next prepared a list which he handed up to the bench, containing the following names; George J Davis, Charles Green, Frank K. Ryan, Silas Bent, John D. Finney and J. H. R. Cundiff. Bowman discovered that Charles Green would not be objected to by the trustee or Chambers, and he placed his name on his list, informing the court, moreover, that Mr. Green had consented to serve if appointed.

Mr. Conroy stated to the court that the appointment of Mr. Green would satisfy all interests and the court said that in that case Mr. Green would be appointed.

The receiver will perfect his bond this afternoon, and at the same time ask instructions with regard to the publication of the paper.

The securities offered on the bond of Receiver Green of the Times are George Knapp, John Knapp and Frank J. Bowman. The receiver will perfect the bond and come into court for that purpose at 4 o'clock. Judge Lindley examined Mr. Bowman as to the value of the property, saying that the court pretty well understood Bowman possessed property on Grand avenue, and that he had been drawing a good deal of money lately.

Sheriff Mason has decided to open the vault of the Times office to satisfy the executions against the Butchers' and Drovers' Bank. The officer will only remove sufficient of the contents to cover the amounts of the several judgments, which aggregate $25,648 47, against the bank, and $7,000, the Tom Walsh judgment, against B. M. Chambers.

Mr. Chambers protests against the whole proceeding. He says that there is property in that vault valued at one million dollars. There are one hundred thousand dollars' worth of bonds; $500,000 in Butchers' and Drovers' scrip and securities of the value of $100,000. The property taken out of the vault will be brought over and examined in the Sheriff's office during the afternoon.

Fair Association Election.

The regular annual election of the St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Association for twenty-one directors took place to-day at the secretary's office. The polls were open from 10 m. to 1 p. m. Messrs. August B. Ewing, N. S. Chouteau and Charles R. Chambers acted as judges. Something over half of the stock was voted, and the regular ticket was elected without opposition. A few votes were cast in which one or more names were scratched, but these had no effect upon the result. At the close of the polls the Board of Directors set a lunch for the judges and the Board in the rooms over the secretary's office, as is customary. The new board elected was as follows: G. B. Allen, Julius S. Walsh, Charles Green, Charles L. Hunt, R. P. Tansey, D. K. Ferguson, Charles P. Chouteau, Geo. Pain, David Clarkson, John G. Prather, Edward Martin, John J. Menges, Ed. Harrison, D. P. Rowland, Hercules L. Dousman, T. E. Tutt, S. M. Dodd, E. A. Filley, J. R. Lionberger, Wm. W. Withnell and Dr. Charles A. Todd.

A Bold Piece of Work.

As the Wabash train emerged from the tunnel this morning a passenger named James Burkett, en route for Ft. Worth, Texas, drew his pocketbook from his pocket to have a bill changed. As he did, two men snatched the wallet, which contained a good sized roll, and ran towards the door. Burkett's lusty yell attracted the attention of the passengers, who arrested one man. The other succeeded in running the gauntlet needy arms and jumped from the train. The pocket-book was found on the floor, but $50 missing. The man caught by the passengers was turned over to Officer Burrows and locked up at the Four Courts. He gave his name as Frank Gardner.

ABOUT TOWN.

A warrant charging Mollie Cole with assault with intent to do great bodily harm was sworn out to-day.

Another grand concert will be given at the rink, Thirteenth and Locust street, to-night. Don't fail to come.

Prof. N. T. Frankel gives his annual masquerade ball at Druids' Hall to-night, with prizes for the best costumes.

John Carmody was tried in the Criminal Court last night for robbery, and was found guilty and sentenced to five years in the Penitentiary.

Prof. I. N. Cundall, of the Washington University, preaches to-morrow morning at the North Presbyterian Church, and Rev. J. W. Allen at night.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' Land League at the Laclede Hotel, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There will be an election for permanent officers.

In the United States District Court this morning the case against Miss Jennie Wallen, charged with having counterfeit money in her possession, was dismissed.

F. Cassel & Co., proprietors of the Great Central Shoe Store, sent a case of boots and shoes to the Carr street station this morning to be distributed among the poor.

Members of the Germania will be favored to-night with a fine concert. No one should fail to attend as the fine programme and the careful study promise a delightful entertainment.

The usual services will be held at the Central Presbyterian Church, Garrison and Lucas avenues, to-morrow, at 10:30 and 7:30. The pastor, Rev. R. G. Brank, D. D., will preach.

Ferdinand Russey, who was tried in the Criminal Court yesterday for embezzlement, was discharged. The American Sewing Machine Company's attorney prosecuted and Mr. John G. Boyle defended.

Yesterday morning two cars of a freight train on the Missouri Pacific "jumped" the track near Main and Poplar streets, and ran into No. 13 Poplar street, knocking the end out, and leaving the house in a very dangerous condition.

At the 10 o'clock service at the Rock Church to-morrow morning, the eloquent divine, Rt. Rev. Will Gross, bishop of Savannah, will deliver the sermon. His well known elequence will undoubtedly draw an immense audience to the Rock Church.

Last evening Mrs. Judge H. M. Jones met with a very serious accident. She was walking along Pine street, just above Twenty-sixth, when she slipped and fell, fracturing her right leg. She was taken to her residence, No. 2724 Chestnut street, where Dr. Hodgen attended.

About 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon the roof of No. 1311 North Market street, owned by William Wellmeyer and occupied by D. N. Brown, was discovered on fire. A still alarm was given engine company No. 19 and the flames extinguished before damage was done. A defective flue was the cause.

Euston Wells and Willie O'Brien, two little chaps living on Emily, near Walnut street, started out yesterday to go to kindergarten, and lost their way. They walked for fully two hours, and though both were very warmly clad, the little fellows came near freezing. They had taken the Franklin avenue car track and determined to walk until they got to the kindergarten or got home, but a policeman who found the little men on Grand and Easton avenues brought them to the station and sent them home.

The police are on the lookout for a man who has been going through the city representing himself as a Catholic priest and soliciting subscriptions for an imaginary church at Fon-du-lac, Wisconsin. He collected quite a sum of money before the fact came to the ears of Father J. J. Flannigan, who pronounces him an imposter. He gave the name of Father Meissard and speaks with a slight French accent. Evidently he is no new comer, for in his representations he shows a knowledge of all the prominent citizens here. The following description of the fellow has been left with the police: Five feet nine inches high, light hair combed back, aged about fifty years, dressed in dark clothes, with two holes burned in the pocket on the right side, smooth face; wore gaiters, and walks with an almost imperceptible lameness.

BELLEVILLE.

The case of Adam Wauser against John Geppert, for assault and battery, was called before Squire Geuntz this morning. Geppert was assessed $5 and costs.

Joseph Scholdt was arraigned before one of the Justices this morning charged with stealing a set of harness. The evidence was not conclusive and Scholdt was released.

A lively runaway occurred on High street this morning about half-past 11. Thomas Quinlan was driving at a pretty rapid rate, when his buggy collided with a bulk wagon, totally demolishing the buggy. Quinlan was precipitated to the street, and the horse, its the wreck of the buggy, continued in their wild career, till it reached Miami street, where it was stopped by some citizens. Quinlan escaped with a few bruises.

Application For a New Trial.

New York, January 8.—An application has been made by the Government for a new trial in the case of Julius B. Pingo, the kid glove manufacturer, to recover penalties of $600,000 on alleged fraudulent invoices. The ice in the East River carried away about fifty feet of pier.

Burnt to Death.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

Milwaukee, January 8.—James Calin, deaf and dumb, was burned to death in his house at Lebanon, Wis., yesterday. His body was taken out in four pieces.

THE SHIP RAILWAY.

Capt. Eads Explains the Enterprise to the Merchants of St. Louis.

A Large and Enthusiastic Meeting on 'Change.

Resolutions Adopted Indorsing the Tehuantepec Route.

Attwenty minutes to one the President of the Exchange, Mr Alex. B. Smith, introduced Mr. James B. Eads in a short and appropriate speech, which was heartily applauded. Mr. Eads took the speaker's stand upon the rostrum, behind which a map of Mexico had been hung, and after bowing to the applauding crowd began: "The Mississippi Valley is an enormous empire; it is six tenths of the total area of the Union; its only outlet is the Mississippi River. Three-quarters of this commerce which will support a transcontinental route is American. This commerce must go across the Isthmus somewhere. The Nicaragua route is 1,250 miles longer. the Panama route is 2,200 miles longer than the route across Tehuantepec. I do not believe that the United States will submit to this. For twenty years to come either the canal or the ship railway will be the thoroughfare. One of them, not both of them, will be built." Mr. Eads then went on to show the greater practicability of the Tehuantepec route for the commerce of the whole world over all others. He cited figures and facts to prove this statement, and demonstrated conclusively that as far as the commerce of the United States and of Europe was concerned this was the only route. Mr. Eads continued: "Impressed by these arguments, I determined to survey the Tehuantepec route, and for that purpose went to the city of Mexico, where I was told I would find a strong prejudice against the United States. I was introduced to Gen. Diaz, who told me that he had heard of the ship railway proposition, and that he would not alone not put any obstacle in my way, but would give me the resources of the Mexican Government to aid me in the survey. I told him I had no rich syndicate at my back to pay the enormous expenses of this survey. And Gen. Diaz sent out a scientific commission to survey the line I wished to examine. He sent a man-of-war with me and the party to Minatitlan, where we departed and proceeded to examine the route. The distance which will require the ship railway is about a hundred and ten miles.

I told the Mexican Government that I wanted a concession from them which would enable me to get the aid of the United States to carry the enterprise through. I asked that a concession should be made to the company entitling them to charge such tolls as the commerce would stand, and I demanded that the United States should have the right to reduce that toll when it saw proper, in consideration of its assistance. At first Gen. Gonzales, the present President, and a great many of the prominent Mexicans opposed the idea of letting any foreign power has domination upon Mexico. I told them, however, that the feeling in the United States was one of warm friendship towards Mexico, and I so proved this fact to their satisfaction that the point was granted. Now I have secured the right to charge $5 per ton for actual displacement on every ship crossing the railway, a much cheaper rate than the one at present obtaining." Mr. Eads then took up the guarantees offered by the company and secured. The United States are asked to guarantee 6 per cent interest on $50,000,000 Mexico is to buy the railroad at the end of the ninety-nine years of the grant. He found but one sentiment in Mexico, an earnest desire to co-operate with the United States in this scheme, and an earnest desire to cultivate more extensive business relations with this country. "The question may be asked, if the Tehuantepec route is so much better and shorter why has it not been urged before? Because it has been conceded that a canal at Tehuantepec is impracticable and the people do not fully understood the ship railway idea. It is regarded as experimental, but you must recollect that the jetties were also regarded as experimental. I propose to demonstrate the entire practicability of this idea before I ask the guarantee. It often happens that new arguments rise up where we least look for them. Yesterday I found these photographs upon my desk, which show that a ship railway is actually in succdsful operation in Russia." Here Mr. Eads handed a number of photographs to gentlemen in the crowd, and went on to demonstrate the entire practicability of the scheme. He closed by stating that the Merchants' Exchange of St. Louis had been the first to take up his jetty scheme for the improvement of the Mississippi and thanking them for the consideration they gave to his Tehuantepec project. Mr. Eads was frequently interrupted by applause. At the conclusion of his speech Hon. E. O. Stanard arose and offered the following resolutions, which were seconded by Capt. Silas Bent:

Whereas, the Valley of the Mississippi comprises an area equal to six-tenths of the thirty-eight States of the Union, and the mouth of the Mississippi River is the only natural outlet of this exceptionally productive and enormous territory; and whereas, the voyage of a steamer from the mouth of the Mississippi to any one of our Pacific ports will be 1,200 miles shorter by way of Tehuantepec than by Nicaragua and 2,200 miles shorter than by Panama, and the voyage from our Atlantic to our Pacific ports will be 700 miles shorter by Tehuantepec than by Nicaragua and 1,500 miles shorter than by way of Panama; and, whereas the voyage between our Pacific ports and Europe will likewise be 700 miles shorter by way of Tehuantepec than by way of Nicaragua and 1,000 miles shorter than by way of Panama; and, whereas, the distances between our Atlantic ports, as well as between our ports in the Mississippi Valley and those of China, Japan and the Sandwich Islands will be proportionately shorter by way of Tehuantepec than by Nicaragua or Panama; and, whereas, the commerce of the world during the next thirty years will not probably justify the construction of more than one line of transit across the American isthmus, and as the commerce of the United States will furnish them quarters of this traffic, and as each additional mile of distance to be traversed by our ships will impose an unnecessary and continual burden upon this commerce, it is of the first importance that the proposed works be located upon that part of the American Isthmus which will afford the shortest line of water communication between the various parts of the country. Therefore be it

Resolved, by the St. Louis Merchants Exchange, That we respectfully urge the Congress of the United States to aid the construction of the ship railway authorized across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec under the grant from the Mexican Government to James B. Eads.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to each Senator and Representative in Congress from the valley States, with the request that they give their earnest support in favor of the proposed ship railway at Tehuantepec.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to each of the principal ports on the Atlantic and Pacific and in the valley of the Mississippi.

When the resolutions were read Capt. Bent arose and said: "In seconding these resolutions I think it is but just to say that our distinguished guest has proven himself almost as great a diplomatist as he is an engineer. I want to add a few words to Capt. Eads' argument which are rather of a professional nature. The character of the Caribean Sea, landlocked as it is and utterly without winds, makes it almost impassable for sailing vessels. It is the approach to the Panama canal. When the ships have passed through they find the tropical calms waiting for them upon the other side and are put just in the worst part of the sea for anything like quick traveling. When it is remembered that three-fourths of the commerce of the world is carried in sailing vessels, the importance of this objection may be appreciated." The Captain also demonstrated the impracticability of any canal, and held that the ship railway is the only feasible scheme for getting ships across the isthmus. He referred to the enormous markets of the Orient which this scheme will bring to our doors, and closed by saying he believed the ship railway could be built in half the time and at one-third the expense of any canal. Capt. Bent was interrupted frequently by applause. He is a neat and telling speaker, and was in his best vein to-day.

When his speech was concluded the resolutions were put to a vote and carried unanimously, and the meeting was declared adjourned. Capt. Eads was surrounded by a number of gentlemen and introduced to some of the merchants who have not yet met him. The meeting was a great success as there was not alone a large turn-out of members, but nearly a hundred of the leading citizens of St. Louis were present.

Incontrovertible Facts.

The great sweeping sales made in the furniture stores during the holidays will enable the public to judge who bears away the palm. Certainly never before has any house satisfied the demands of the people in a more general way than that of Burrell, Comstock & Co., who, in the elegance and beauty of goods, uniqueness of style and lowness of price more than justified all the expectations of their patrons. They sold more costly things than in any previous holiday season, and have extended their reputation for keeping the most magnificent furniture in the West. They should be proud of their New Year prestige.

The Indiana Legislature.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

Indianapolis, January 8.—In the Senate this morning a resolution was unanimously adopted that the Senate meet the House in the hall of the latter at 2 p. m. for the purpose of hearing the Governor's message and after that to proceed to open and publish the returns for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor. Nominations for Secretary of the Senate were then made—Wilson, Republican; Rice, Democrat, and C. W. Brouse, Greenbacker, all of Marion county. Amid counter resolutions of all sorts, and much sparring and filibustering, eight ballots were taken, the Republicans voting solidly for Wilson, and the Democrats scattering between Brouse and Rice, and sometimes a third man. On the ninth ballot Benz and the others who had stood out for Rice voted for Brouse, and he was elected twenty-five to twenty. Robert Sears, of Vermillion county, was the remaining elector. Assistant Secretary Allen W. Monroe, of Floyd county, and others were nominated for doorkeeper, and Monroe was elected on the first ballot. There was filibustering, but the Democrats voted it down. A resolution was adopted notifying the House that the Senate was organized, and then adjourned.

The State Legislature.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

Jefferson City, Mo., January 8.—The Senate held an hour's session this morning.

Senator Byrnes introduced a bill changing the time of assessment from August 1 to June.

Senator Nayler—A bill repealing an act providing for the exercise of voting by persons who have failed to register.

Senator Cottey—A bill authorizing the Governor to appoint a committee of three members of the Legislature in December of each odd year to visit and examine all State institutions. Adjourned till Monday.

Gov. Critteuden and family arrived to-day.

The Maine Governorship.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

Augusta, Me., January 8.—The committee on the Gubernatorial vote, composed of twenty-four members, will report with one exception, Tuesday, that as Mr. Plaisted received a plurality of the votes, he has been elected Governor. It is expected that the report will arouse considerable discussion, but nevertheless will be adopted and Mr. Plaisted will be inaugurated forthwith.

Fell From a Train.

Kalamazoo, Mich., January 8.—The body of the man found near the Michigan Central track one mile west of here this morning was identified by papers on his person as Chas. Rode, traveling salesman of E. Wittman, cigar dealer, Wills street, Chicago. The circumstances indicate that he fell from the evening express east at 3 o'clock this morning and was disabled. He had dragged himself about and probably lived till day-break.

Military Order.

Washington, January 8.—The War Department issued to-day an order abolishing dress caps for officers, and directing that hereafter helmets be worn with trimmings to designate the different branches of the service. The color for infantry will be white; cavalry, yellow; artillery, red; Signal Service, orange. The Farragut statue will be unveiled April 21st.

Slim Sal.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

Chicago, January 8.—Bernhardt commences an engagement of one week next Monday evening at McVicker's, opening in "Adrienne Lecouvreur."

Commemorating.

New York, January 8.—Flags on the Government buildings note the victory of the American over the British troops at New Orleans.

Railroad Collision.

Mauch Chunk, Pa., January 8.—A freight train and engine were in collision on the Lehigh and Susquehanna Railroad. Five men were severely injured, two of whom it is thought fatally.

Judge Billings.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

Mobile, Ala., January 8.—Judge Billings succeeds to the judicial vacancy caused by the promotion of Judge Work to the supreme bench.

A Grand Mass.

New York, January 8.—A grand mass of requiem was celebrated to-day for those who died by fire in the tenement at Madison and James streets.

River Telegrams.

Evansville, January 8.—River rising; 6 feet 3 inches. Wind from north; clear; mercury 25 degrees. There is considerable ice running, but the situation above and below is unchanged.

Pittsburg, January 8.—River 7 feet and falling. Weather clear and cold. Ice gorge three miles long, 10 feet high at Monongahela City.

Memphis, January 8.—River falling. Arrived, Future City and Jno. A. Wood, from New Orleans. Clear and cold.

Cincinnati, January 8.—River 18 feet 9 inches and rising rapidly. Ice running freely.

Cairo, January 8.—No arrivals or departures. Clear and cold.

Marine.

New York, January 8.—Arrived: Steamships Maine and Saxon Monarch, from Bremen, and Ville de Marseilles, from Havre.

New Orleans, January 8.—Arrived: Steamship City of Meridia, Mexican ports; bark Albert, Havre.

London, January 8.—Arrived: Norman Monarch, from New York.

CITY PERSONALS.

Emile L. Herzinger, artist, left for New York yesterday, and will be back in a few weeks.

Nicholas Ulrich, a prominent attorney of Peoria, Ill., is in the city on professional business.

Mr. William Price has been dubbed "Sarah Bernhardt" by his society gentlemen friends. No reason has been assigned for the liberty.

George Bain, who has been confined to the house by illness for the past couple of days, put in an appearance on 'Change this morning.

The Rev. Mr. Eaton, of the North of Ireland, is in the city soliciting money for the building of a Protestant church in his village.

Mr. William H. Thatcher arrived in the city this morning after a long absence in the far West, and was warmly greeted by many friends.

Gen. R. S. MacKenzie, Col. Geo. H. Weeks and Capt. D. C. Forbush, of the regular army, from the southwestern frontier, are at the Lindell.

Mr. S. D. Carpenter, editor of the Patriot, Carthage, Mo., flitted through St. Louis this morning on the way to his old home in the Badger State.

Mack Robinson, well known to the St. Louis grain trade, with which he was at one time connected, but now of Stewart & Robinson, Kansas City, was on 'Change to-day.

Mr. A. Jacobs, of M. Eisenstadt & Co., returned this morning from Chicago, where he went to attend the annual banquet of the National Wholesale Jewelers' Association.

Mr. E. H. Shaw, the well-known interior designer and art-worker, has been secured by Mr. J. L. Isaacs, 1210 Olive street, to take the charge of its wall-paper establishment. Mr. Shaw has won golden opinions for his work in our city. We congratulate Mr. Isaacs on this accession to his force.

Call Board Transactions.

The extraordinary increase in the grain trade of St. Louis is clearly shown in the sales at the Call Board for cash and future delivery, 1880 compared with the preceding year. In cash sales of grain the bulk of the transactions are made at the regular 11:30 a. m. call, but a very large amount is also handled before and after this call on the open board. From the call board record kept by Dan. Bartlett, the caller, the following figures were obtained on cash grain:

	1880.	1879.
Wheat, bu	10,287,975	4,141,520
Corn, bu	7,287,850	1,780,100
Oats, bu	1,230,800	983,350
Rye, bu	82,400	100,800
Total bu	18,889,025	7,305,770

But it is in future trading that the great increase is seen, sales at the call board footing up as follows for the past and preceding years:

	1880.	1879.
Wheat, bu	39,080,000	18,505,000
Corn, bu	29,115,000	28,165,000
Oats, bu	5,315,000	6,170,000
Rye, bu	55,000	120,000
Total bu	83,565,000	19,960,000

And it must be remembered that trading in options on the call is not a tithe of what is really transacted on the open board. It is not mis-stating it to say that future sales on the open board will aggregate on wheat and corn fully ten times as much as call transactions. What an enormous speculative business has been developed in this market since the time of its inauguration, over ten years ago, when Joe Matthews, "Doc" Smith and Donzelot used to "wash" sales at the old Exchange in order to make quotations!

NORTH ST. LOUIS LOCALS.

"Col." Railton has arranged for and will continue his religious work in North St. Louis for two weeks longer.

Leibke & Schrage are having logs hauled from five miles below Corondelet, on wagons, for their saw-mill here.

As soon as navigation is resumed the North St. Louis Salt Co. will receive 35,000 barrels of salt from the Ohio River.

William Bunner, eighteen years old, had his left leg broke about the knee by a fall from a wagon on Thirteenth and John streets yesterday evening.

Monday evening Kelly R. Chandler will deliver a eulogy on the death of the late murdered police officer, Walsh, to the members of De Sota Lodge, No. 90, Odd Fellows.

To-night, Wm. B. Stubblefield, Masonic Grand Master of State, will install the officers elect of Mt. Moriah Lodge, No. 40, Broadway and Salisbury street. At the conclusion of the ceremonies a banquet will be given.

The Mullanphy Planing Mill Company, a new organization, concluded arrangements yesterday for the erection of a large brick planing mill on the northwest corner of Tenth and Mullanphy streets. The structure will be three stories high, with three rooms, and will cost when finished $8,000. It will be 141 feet deep, and have a frontage of 126 feet, making it by far the largest lumber mill in North St. Louis.

Divorce.

A petition was filed to-day by Owen Starr against Mary Starr. He complains chiefly of his wife's cruel treatment of his little daughter by a former marriage. After the husband had gone to business in the morning the wife would frequently leave the house and turn her stepdaughter Katie, an interesting child of three years, out into the yard exposed to the weather, unprotected and uncared for. She frequently whipped the child unmercifully, calling her a "nasty, stinking little thing." She never washed the child, and so neglected her that she became covered with vermin all over. This brutal treatment aroused the indignation of the neighborhood. The husband alleges that his wife's disgraceful conduct in other respects compelled him to seek a severance of the matrimonial tie.

Nag and Nigger.

A little moke snatched a package from a wagon on Christy avenue, near Fifth street, at noon to-day and started off with it. The act was perceived by a citizen named Westerman, who was mounted on a good horse and gave immediate pursuit. The darkey dropped the bundle and fled like the wind. For nearly a dozen blocks, through the busiest throughfares, it was nip and tuck between nigger and nag. Horse flesh won and the darkey threw up his hands in an alley not far from the Chestnut Street Station. The youngster belongs to the Dunstan gang, his leader having been turned loose this morning.

Growing Out of the Times Complication.

J. M. Dickson, attorney for the Butchers' and Drovers' Bank, applied to Judge Lindley this morning for a stay of execution in the suit of J. K. Cummings against the bank. The judgment stands for $12,000, and the sheriff is in possession of the vault in the Times office containing the effects of the bank. Mr. Chambers wants a heavy bond to be given if the vault is disturbed, as it contains property of great value. The matter will come up for hearing this afternoon, and meanwhile the Sheriff has taken no steps to open the vault.

A Mourning Eye.

The eye which Patrolman Scharfenburg has carried around the Lindell Hotel in mourning for a couple of days will rapidly improve. John D. Shay, the man who did it, was arraigned before Judge Dennison this morning and a fine of $10 imposed. Shay's brother David was also a defendant for carrying a revolver, and was fined $15. Peace will reign in Christy avenue precincts until the Shays settle.

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MONEY.

Robert E. M. Bain, Foreign Exchange, 104 S. Third street, reports: Banks' sterling, 479½@480; 60-days, sterling, 478¾@479; sight sterling, 479@479½; do 60-days commercial demand 478½; do 530@527½; do demand, do. 527½@5 francs, 30-days reichs marks, 93¼@93½; do d 94¼@94½; do 60-days guilders and fl 39¼. Market steady.

The following quotations are furnished the POST-DISPATCH by Wm. C. Little & Co., Bankers and Brokers, 213 North Third street.

U. S. BONDS.

	When due.	Interest payable.	Bid.	Ask'd
6's of 1881	1881	Jan. & July	101	102
City 6's	1895-'99	Jan. & July	125	129
New 6's	1881	M. A. N. & F.	101	102
1¼ per cent bds.	1891	J. S. D. & M.	111¾	112¼
4 per cent bonds.	1907	J. A. J. & O.	112¼	112¾

RAILWAY BONDS.

Mo. Pac. 1st m 6s	1888	Feb. & Aug.	110¾	.....
Mo. Pac. 2d m 7s	1891	Jan. & July	113	116
N. Mo. 1st m 7s	1895	Jan. & July	123	125
K. P. 1st m 6s	1895	Feb. & Aug.	120	124
K. P. 1st m 6s	1896	June & Dec.	123	126
K. P. D. Ex. 7s	1899	May & Nov.	113½	.....
K. P. Consols	1919	May & Nov.	104¼	105
St. L. & I. M. 1st 7s	1892	Feb. & Aug.	117	.....

ST. LOUIS AND COUNTY BONDS.

City 6's, gold	1883-'94	Various.	110	112
City 6's, gold	1898	May & Nov.	112	114
City 6's, cy	1886-'87	Various.	106	108
City water 6's	1887	June & Dec. 25	109	.....
City water 6's	1890	June & Dec. 25	110	112
City water 6's	1892	Apr. & Oct.	111	113
City 5's, gold	1900	Apr. & Oct.	107	108
County 6's, gold	1895-'96	Jan. & July	111¾	113
County Park	1905	Jan. & July	114	.....
County 7's cy	1885	Jan. & July	109	111

STATE BONDS.

Mo. 6's	1882	Jan. & July	102	103
Mo. 6's	1886-'87	Jan. & July	107¾	108
Mo. 6's	1888-'89	Jan. & July	108¾	109
Mo. 6's	1894	Jan. & July	.....	.....
Mo. 5-20s of 1875 and '76	1895-'98	Jan. & July	102	103
Mo. 5-20s of 1877	1897	Jan. & July	103¼	104¼

*Interest to seller.

LAND WARRANTS.

	Buying.	Selling.
Land warrants, 160 acres	$184	.....
Land warrants, 120 acres	135	.....
Land warrants, 80 acres	91	.....
Land warrants, 40 acres	44	.....

Clearings to-day	4,918,471
Balances to-day	393,070
Clearings this week	34,037,091
Clearings last week	24,174,741
Corresponding week 1880	31,447,373

Quotations of Money, Silver, Bonds, Stocks and Other Securities, Etc.

NEW YORK, January 8.—Noon.—Money loaning at 6 per cent on call; prime mercantile paper 5@6. Bar silver 110½. Exchange steady at 98¾ for long and 99¼ for sight. Governments quiet, unchanged; '81 reg. 101½; '81 coupons 101¾; new 5s reg 100¾; new 5s coupons 101¾; new 4½s reg. 111¾; new 4½s coupons 111¾; new 4s reg. 112¾; new 4s coupons 112¾. State securities dull and nominal. Railroad bonds active and irregular. Since 11 o'clock stock speculation has been strong and a further advance in prices was continued up to noon, when advance on last night's closing prices ranged from ¼ to 2¾ per cent, the entire list participating.

Rock Island	136¾	prfd	119
Panama	219½	W., St. L. & Pacific	45¾
Fort Wayne	134	prfd	86¾
Pittsburg	132½@134	Hannibal & St. Joseph	30½
Illinois Central	125¾	prfd	107½
C., B. & Q	131	Iron Mountain	53¼
prfd		St. L. & San Fran	44¾
Chicago & Alton	154	prfd	95
Chi'go & Alton prfd	*153	first prfd	99
N. Y. Central	152¾	C., St. L. & N. O	41
Harlem	197	Kansas & Texas	41¾
Lake Shore	132	Union Pacific	113
Canada Southern	73¾	prfd	
Michigan Central	123¾	Central Pacific	95½
Erie	50¾	Texas Pacific	44
Erie, preferred	94	Northern Pacific	34¾
Northwestern	126¾	Northern Pacific, prfd	66¾
Northwestern, pfd	140¾	Louisville & N	92¾
St. Paul	115¾	Nashville & Chat	67¾
St. Paul, pfd	123	L. & N. A.	58 60
St. Paul & Minnesota		Houston & Tex	70
St. Paul & Sioux City		Denver & R. Grande	92¾
St. P. & S. C. prfd		St. Paul & Omaha	46¾
Del. & Lack	112¾	prfd	97
Morris & Essex	122½	Boston Air Line, pfd	
Del. & Hudson	96¾	Oregon Navigation	
N. J. Central	87¾	Moutauk Coal	
Reading	56¾	Pittsburg, T. & B	38¾
Ohio	38	Memphis & C	48
Ohio, preferred	99	American Union	
Chesapeake & Ohio	23¾	Western Union	92¾
first prfd	33½	A. & P. Telegraph	38
second prfd	25	Pacific Mail	50¼
Mobile & Ohio	21¾	Little Pittsburg	
Cleveland & Col	97¾	Adams	121
C., C. & I. C	22¾	Farzo	113½
Ohio Central	25¾	American	63¾
Erie & Western	41¾	United States	51¾
Peoria, D. and E	29½	Canton	
Ind., B. and W	60	Boston Water Power	
Ont. & Western		Boston Land	
Mar. and Cin		Canton	
1st prfd	10	Consol. Coal	
2d prfd	6	Quicksilver	13½
B., C. R. & N	†72	pref	54¾
A. & T. H	42¾	Central Arizona	

*Bid †Offered.

COMMERCE.

Receipts and Shipments or Leading Articles

for the 24 hours ending Saturday, Jan. 8, 1881, and corresponding day in 1880, as reported by the Merchants' Exchange.

ARTICLES.	Receipts by River and Rail. 1881.	1880.	Shipments by Rail. 1881.	1880.
Apples, brls	.....	80	1	29
Barley, sacks	1,208	.....	....	191
Barley, in bulk, bu	16,000	1,000	....	1,805
Butter, lbs	22,297	10,596	7,325	9,490
Corn, sacks	276	3,044	160	3
Corn, in bulk, bu	32,000	68,850	4,075	1,312
Eggs, pkgs	131	240	....	277
Flour, brls	4,696	2,626	4,540	4,277
Hay, tons	447	660	162	155
Hides, lbs	97,911	153,058	24,000	50,870
Lard, lbs	6,060	1,030	41,283	135,681
Lead, pigs	1,180	2,490	1,200	2
Oats, sks	.....	.....	930	574
Oats, in bulk	4,000	15,000	932	650
Pork, brls	.....	25	34	.....
Hams, lbs	.....	.....	26,875	4,191
Meats, lbs	70,230	27,000	309,351	220,171
Potatoes, sks, brls	....	150	310	1
Potatoes, bulk	....	1,200	....	....
Rye, sacks	19	855	....	....
Rye, in bulk	1,000	2,250	488	518
Tallow, lbs	20,584	21,898	....	....
Tobacco, hhds	45	11	10	55
Wheat, sacks	555	4,269	....	....
Wheat, in bulk	8,550	14,875	25,770	4,932
Whisky, brls	....	....	258	276

Grain Inspections.

Wheat—19 cars No. 2 red winter; 5 cars No. 3 red winter; 1 car No. 4 winter; 2 cars rejected winter; 3 cars no-grade winter. Total—30 cars.

Corn—3 cars No. 2 white-mixed; 1 car rejected white-mixed; 40 cars No. 2 mixed; 17 cars rejected. Total—61 cars.

Oats—9 cars No. 2, 3 cars No. 2 white, 2 cars rejected. Total—14 cars.

Barley—1 car No. 3 spring, 1 car rejected spring. Total—2 cars.

Rye—2 cars rejected. Total—2 cars.

Total—109 cars.

The Markets.

MORNING BOARD.

Flour firm and generally held about 5c higher, but buyers slow to pay this advance. We quote: Fancy $5 20@5 45; choice $4 85@5 10; family $4 55@4 70; XXX $4 20@4 50; XX $3 55 @3 70; X $3 20@3 40; superfine $3 05@3 15; fine $2 65@2 90.

Wheat—Higher. Grades were quiet, partly owing to the stiffness with which they were held. Old No. 2 red brought $1 02 but bids of 99¾ for No. 3 red, $1 00¾ for No. 4, No. 2 Mediterranean, 95¾ for No. 3 do and could not buy, as their holders asked much higher, except No. 2 red, which moved right freely to speculators at $1 01¼ to $1 01¾. New grades were dull, with rather indifferent buyers at 94¼@95 for No. 3 red, 87 for No. 4 and 77 for rejected. Futures very dull but generally firm, closing at ¼@¾ advance. January sold at $1 02; February at $1 03, late $1 03¾ bid; March at $1 05¾ to $1 05¾; May at $1 07¾ to $1 08, closing at $1 08¼ bid; for April $1 07 bid.

Corn—Strong and generally held at higher rates. Grade No. 2 mixed went to speculators at 39¼@¾—latter ½ advance over yesterday; No. 2 white mixed was salable at 40 and rejected do at 39¾, but there were no sellers at these rates; so nothing was done; rejected sold on call at 35@¼ in St. Louis and 34¼@35 East, but later the latter receipts brought 35¼ and St. Louis had buyers at 35¼. Futures higher, but unsettled and irregular, closing ¼@¾ better. Trading light; January at 39¼@¾; February at 39¼@¾; March at 39¾ to 39¾@¾; April at 40½; May at 41¼@¾ to 41¾, closing at 41¾.

Oats—Steady and firm. Grade No. 2 sold quiet at 31 to order buyers and local feeders; stock small and in a few parties' hands; No. 2 white was taken on order account at 32½@33; for rejected, 30 was bid and refused. Nothing done in futures, as buyers and sellers were apart; bids of 30¾ for January, 32½ for February, 33¾ for March, 34⅞ for April and 35¾ for May failed to buy.

Barley—Business light at unchanged prices. Stock small and held firmly. We quote: Rejected 40@80c; No. 3 50@70c; prime 75@85c; choice 90@95c; fancy $1@1 05; Canada $1@1 25.

Rye—Firm and wanted, but the small offerings and stiffness restricting orders. Grade No. 2 sold at 87 and rejected at 84.

Hay slow and easier, but quotably the same in value. We quote: Prairie $10@13; mixed $12 50@14; prime timothy $15@16; choice do $16 50@17; fancy do $17 50@18.

Millfeed—Bran in demand, but scarce, selling this side at 65, both f. o. b. and in warehouse.

Provisions—Firm, but quiet. Mess pork salable at $12 60 January, $12 75 February $12 95 March, without sellers. Lard quotable at 8.45@8½; nothing done. In boxed dry salt "longs and shorts" there was considerable trade, as there was also yesterday; loose does not offer; sold at 4. No sales reported of bacon, shoulders 5¼@5¾c, according to quality. Tallow steady; breakfast bacon 9@10c. Grease. Butter firmer; brown, ¾@5¾c for yellow, 4@4½c for white. Beef—Extra mess $12 per brl; prime mess $9 50 per brl; family $7 per half-brl; dried beef 9@10c per lb. Fresh smoked tongues $4 75@5 per doz. Salt $1 25@1 30 per brl for lake, and $1 15 for Ohio River; $1 20@1 25 per sack for G. A.

The Cotton Market.

Spots quiet and quotations unchanged. Sales 388 bales. New York steady and quiet. Liverpool slow and tending down.

STOCKS IN ST. LOUIS WAREHOUSES.

	Bales.
Stocks to-day	74,159
Same day last year	42,963

ST. LOUIS GROSS RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

Date.	Receipts, bales.	Shipments, bales.
To-day	1,556	2,583
Same day last year	1,660	2,468
Total for season to date	224,549	192,316
Same time last year	358,626	285,614

Country Produce.

BUTTER—We quote: Creamery—Fancy, 32, (regular brands held higher) choice 28@30; seconds 27@28. Dairy—Fancy 25; choice 22@24; prime 18@21; low grade 12@15; and near-by make 11@16, top rate for fancy. Roll—12@16c for near-by; 18@20c for Northern.

EGGS Sales of guaranteed at 27 in cases.

POULTRY—Dressed—Turkeys—rough 9@10, choice to fancy 10¾@11; geese $2@2 50 ₩ doz, ducks $1 50@3; chicken $1 to $2 75 for thin, rough to fancy.

GAME—Sales: Quail $1 52@1 35; grouse $3@5 25; pheasant $5; duck—Teal and grey $2 50; mallard $2 75; wild turkeys 40@75c; antece; wild pigeon 40c; squirrel 60@75c; rabbit 50c @$1; jack rabbit $2 75. Deer—Carcasses 4@5; venison saddles without skins, 5½@6¾c, skins on 7—possum 10@20c.

OYSTERS—Select 35, triangle and medium 25, XXX 15 ₩ can

WOOL—We quote: Tubwashed—Choice 46@46½; medium 44@46; dingy and low 40@43. Unwashed—Combing 28@29; coarse 25@27; choice medium 27@28; low do 24@25; fine merino (light) 23@24; heavy do 17@19; burry black and cotted 5@15 ₩ lb less; Southern burry 13@14.

FURS—We quote: Western (Southern 15@25 per cent less): Raccoon—No. 1, 75; No. 2, 45@50; No. 3, 30@35; No. 4, 15. Mink—No. 1, 70; No. 2, 40; No. 3, 25; No. 4, 10. Skunk—Black, 65@75; short stripe 45; narrow stripe, 30; white stripe, 10@15. Cat—Pole, 5@10; wild, 15@20; house, 5@10. Fox—Gray, 65; red, $1. Otter, 50 to $6; Beaver, 50 to $1 75 ₩ lb. Bear, $2 to $7; badger 20@30. 'Possum, 8@12½. Muskrat 5@10.

HIDES—Quote: No. 1 green salted 8¼; damaged do 7½; bulls and stags—green salted 6¾@7; green 6@6¾; green salted calf 13; No. 1 dry salted 14; damaged do 12¾; No. 1 dry flint 18; No. 2 do 16. Branded ₩ cent. off from price of No. 1.

FEATHERS—Prime live geese 45@48, outside for small sks; No. 2 do 37@42; mixed 30@35; old 15@30; chicken 5@10. Tare 3 per cent, on large, 10 on small sks.

DEERSKINS—We quote: Selections 45@47½; No. 1, 33@43; salted 30@35; damaged 25@30; green salted 20.

FLAX SEED—Quote at $1 12 on basis of pure.

APPLES—We quote: Winesap $1 75@2 10; Ben Davis $2 25@2 50; genetin $1 50@2 00—all to be free from frost and in well filled barrels frozen 75@$1 50.

SHEEP PELTS—We quote: Green salted pelts and lamb skins 50@$1 25; dry 35@65 according to the amount of wool on them; Green salted shearlings 25@35; Dry flint do 5@15; bug eaten unsalable.

GRASS SEED—We quote clover $4 80@5; timothy at $2@2 35, millet 50@55; red top 38@40.

PECANS—We quote: Western 5@5¾; Texas 7@8.

WALNUTS—30 ₩ bu for choice.

PEANUTS—Quote: red 2@2¾; white 2¼@3¼.

CHESTNUTS—4¼@5 per lb.

CASTOR BEANS—$1 20 pid for prime.

HICKORY NUTS—Sales of small shellbarks 70@85, and large at 35@45 ₩ bu.

HAZELNUTS—1¾ ₩ lb.

CHEESE—We quote: Fancy full cream 11@12; Western part skims 8@9; hard 3@5.

CALIFORNIA FRUIT—Pears $4@4 50; plums $1 75@2; quinces $2 25 ₩ box; Malaga grapes $10 50 ₩ brl, $4@4 50 ₩ keg.

CIDER—Selling at 12½ per gallon.

SORGHUM—Fermented 20@25, choice 35.

VEALS—Carcasses 6@7 live at 5@6 lb.

DRESSED HOGS—Quote at 4¾@4¾, top rate for extra large.

WHITE BEANS—Quotable at $1 25@1 40 for medium Western, $1 60@1 75 for do navy; stained and dirty at 50@75c as in quality; hand picked Eastern medium $1 80@1 85 from store; do navy $1 90@2.

RAGS—We quote: Country mixed 2¼@2¾.

BEESWAX—Prime 21; dark 20

ROOTS—We quote: Ginseng $1 40@1 50, top rate for choice, Seneca 40@45; blue flag 4½; blood roots 3@4, golden seal 5@6½; snake 9@10; black 4½; May apple 2½.

BROOMCORN—Crooked 2; fair straight 3¼@4; prime to choice green 4¾@5¼.

COOPERAGE—Flour brls, city elm, 38@40; country 32@33; city oak 40; country do 35. Pork brls 90@95 del; lard tierces $1 15@1 25 del; lard kegs 40@50; bacon casks $1 70@1 75; half-casks 85@95; ham tierces, small, 60; large 70. Whisky brls, iron bound, 6 hoop, $1 40@1 60; 8 hoop $1 65@1 80; half brls $1 20.

HONEY—Dark comb 14@16; fancy bright 17@19; strained and extracted 11@13 in pkgs, 9@10 in brls.

SCRAP IRON, ETC.—We quote ₩ 100 lbs: Wrought $1 15, heavy cast 85c; stove 65; plows 75; burnt 20. Brass—Heavy $14; light $8. Copper—Light $12@13; heavy $15. Bones—$12@15; dry buffalo $16.

TROPICAL FRUIT—Louisiana oranges $3 50@4 50 for dark, $6@6 50 for bright ₩ brl; valencia $7 ₩ case. Lemons $5 for Messina, $4@4 50 for Malaga ₩ box; cocoanuts $40 ₩ 1,000. Bananas $2@3 50 per bunch on orders.

TURNIPS—$1 75 ₩ brl on orders.

COOPERSTUFF—Shaved hoops, country flour brl, $6 25@50; choice cooper shaved $7@7 50; pork brl $12@13; lard tierce do $12@14; cask $20@25; half cask $13@15. Staves (car lots E. side), machine flour brl, oak $8; elm $7 25. Heading (car lots East side), soft wood 5¼@5¾; hard do 6@6¼. Whisky brl (with heading) green $15; dry half $22; casks $10 50@12; hhd $24@28; dry half hhds $15@18; green tierce $14; dry $16; dry beer keg $24@28; green $18@20.

HEMP SEED Quotable at $1 40 for prime.

HOPS—We quote New York, new, at 23@26. No Western in market.

BEETS—Home-grown sell on orders at $1 75 ₩ brl.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples—dark 3@3¼, fair 3¼, choice 3¾, fancy 3¾. Peaches—mixed 5@5½, small halves 5¼, choice halves 5¾, fancy do 5¾.

CELERY—Short 20; choice long 40@55.

POPCORN—Small white 1¼@1½, large do 1.

POTATOES—Quote Western sound stock ₩ bu—55@60 for rose and flukes, 60@70 for peerless and Northern peachblow, 60 for bottom rose—frosted much lower; Eastern 5@10c ₩ bu higher.

Miscellaneous.

LEAD—Soft Mo. quiet at $4 25.

HIGHWINES—Steady at $1 11.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Sales at $6 25 for patent, $5 50@6 for Eastern, $5 50 for Western.

RYE FLOUR—$4 90@5 20 del; in small lots on orders 25@30c higher.

CORNMEAL—City on orders at $2 10@2 15 del.

TOBACCO—We quote, Inferior to common dark lugs $3 25@3 75; fair to good dark lugs $3 80@4; fair to good bright lugs $4 50@6 50; inferior and nondescript dark leaf $4 25@4 75; common dark leaf $5@5 75; low medium to medium dark leaf $6@7; low medium to medium red leaf $7@8 50; factory dried shipping leaf $5 50@7 50; good to fine bright leaf $9 50@12; medium half bright wrapping leaf $12@15; medium bright wrapping leaf $20@30; good to fine bright wrapping leaf $40@60. No sales; dead dull; no demand.

HEMP—We quote undressed hemp, $110@140; dressed hemp, $160@200; shorts $140@160; break tow, $60 per ton.

BAILINGSTUFF—We quote in job and order lots; Jute bagging at 10¼@10¾, according to weight, flax and mixed flax do 9¼@10¼. Hemp twine 14¾@15. Iron cotton ties at $1 85@1 75 ₩ bundle.

LIVE STOCK.

Comparative receipts and shipments for the 24 hours ending to-day, and the same day in 1880.

	Receipts. 1881.	1880.	Shipments. 1881.	1880.
Cattle	315	349	1,025	973
Hogs	4,370	1,810	2,822	2,295
Sheep	195	511	750	300

CATTLE—The receipts of cattle to-day were utterly insignificant and not enough to make a market. The few unsold lots that had been left over were shipped forward, the country shippers being not content with prices that are ruling here. It must be remembered, however, that last week values were exceptionally high, and that the quality of the offerings for the past few days has not been of the best; further, that compared with other markets the prices paid here are very good, all of which tends to prove that there is very little room for dissatisfaction. The close of the week is generally quiet, and it is difficult to forecast what next week may bring, but the prospect seems fair for a moderately active market and steady prices.

RULING QUOTATIONS.

Choice native steers	$5 40@5 75
Prime native steers, average 1,400 to 1,500 lbs	4 80@5 30
Good to prime steers, av. 1,100 to 1,350 lbs	4 25@4 75
Common to good grass steers	3 00@4 10
Good to prime native feeding steers, av. 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, nominal	3 00@3 50
Fair native stock steers, av. 800 to 900, nominal	2 25@3 25
Good to prime native cows and heifers	3 00@4 00
Common to fair native cows	2 25@3 00
Fair to good corn-fed Texan steers	3 25@3 75
Fair to good Colorado steers	3 75@4 25

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.
17 native butcher	852	$3 10

HOGS—The market opened active this morning under small receipts, and the accumulations of the past day or two found ready sale, the difficulty in obtaining cars for shipping purposes being the only drawback. If transportation facilities were more available there would be a first-rate market for good light hogs, and, even as it is, we quote them to-day a little stronger at $4 35 to $4 50. Packing hogs, too, were more active and selling for increased values. We quote them at $4 15 for common to $4 75 for good. Choice heavy hogs were strong at $4 70 to $4 90, and for fancy bunches $5 would have been readily paid. The indications are that the pens will be cleared, the market closing active and firm.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
116	170	$4 40	42	185	$4 40
83	170	4 25	80	190	4 40
69	257	4 60	72	242	4 65
57	269	4 80	52	295	4 80
56	314	4 80	45	277	4 65
232	246	4 60	35	246	4 45
25	184	4 35	10	178	4 35
43	302	4 65	81	263	4 60
47	272	4 60	37	270	4 60
40	171	4 40	51	192	4 40
15	186	4 40	21	189	4 40
55	252	4 65	27	241	4 60
51	173	4 40	69	248	4 50
76	195	4 50	25	249	4 55
36	184	4 35	60	260	4 55
57	310	4 75	20	196	4 45
33	280	4 65	81	184	4 30
38	273	4 55	39	205	4 40
34	261	4 60	31	196	4 40
61	216	4 45			

SHEEP—The week closes with the sheep market very steady. Good muttons are needed and bring strong prices, while common sheep find sale, in the absence of a better quality, at very fair prices.

Live Stock by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, January 8.—Hogs—Receipts 15,000; active and 5c higher; light $4 60@4 85; mixed packing $4 60@4 90; shipping $4 90@5 05. Cattle—Receipts 2,000; more active and firmer; common to fair shipping $4 00@4 60; good to choice $4 80@5 35. No exports, butchers $2 20@3 65; stockers $2 75@3 75.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, January 8.—Flour steady and very moderate export and jobbing trade demand; round hoop Ohio $4 20@5; choice do $5 10@6 75; superfine Western $3 25@3 75; common to good extra do $4 15@4 65; choice do do $4 70@6 75; choice white wheat do $5@6. Wheat ½@⅞c better and very quiet; sales 32,000 bu. No 1 white January at $1 15⅞; 16,000 bu do February at $1 17; 48,000 No. 2 red February $1 19¼@1 19¾; do March $1 21 bid; $1 21½ asked; May $1 21¾ bid, 1 21¾ asked. Corn ¼@½c better and quiet; mixed Western spot 53@57; do future 55¼@57¼. Oats a shade firmer; Western 42@47. Beef firmer; new plain mess $8 50; new extra do $9 50. Pork steady and quiet; old mess $12 75@13 spot. Lard about steady; steam rendered 9.10c. Butter steady; moderate inquiry; Ohio 12½@27. Cheese firm; 7@13¾ for poor to fancy. Sugar firm and quiet. Molasses steady and moderate demand. Petroleum dull and nominal. Rice steady and quiet. Coffee dull and weak. Freights about steady. Spirits turpentine firm at 48. Rosin steady at $1 80@1 90. Tallow firm at 6¼ for Western. Eggs firm at 32@38 for fair to choice.

BALTIMORE, January 8.—Flour firm and unchang. Wheat—Western higher and dull; No. 2 Western winter red spot and January $1 16@¼; February $1 18@1 18¼; March 1 20¼@¾. Corn—Western a shade better and quiet; Western mixed spot and January 52¼@¾; February 54¼@54¾; March 54¾@¾; steamer 49. Oats firm and a shade better; Western white 45@46; do mixed 43@45. Rye quiet at $1@1 02. Hay unchanged. Provisions dull; without change. Butter dull; prime to choice Western packed 17@22; roll 18@22. Eggs steady; fresh 33@35; limed 25@27. Petroleum nominal. Coffee steady; Rio cargoes ordinary to fair 11¼@13¾. Sugar firm; A soft 9¾. Whisky dull; $1 14. Receipts: Flour, 1,670; wheat, 4,465; corn, 17,050; oats, 800; rye, 112. Shipments: Wheat, 18,000; corn, 17,643. Sales: Wheat, 230,150; corn, 84,900.

MILWAUKEE, January 8.—Wheat advanced ¼@½c; noon board market firm at $1 11 hard; $1 no. 1; $1 02 for No. 2 hard; 97¾ for No. 2 January; 98¾ February; 99¼ March; 83¾@84¾ for No. 3; 75 for No. 4; rejected nominal; receipts, 46,000; shipments, 3,500. Coarse grains firmer and higher. Corn 37½c for No. 2. Oats 31c for No. 2. Rye 87½c for No. 1. Barley 83c for No. 2.

CINCINNATI, January 8.—Flour firmer; No. 1 quotably higher. Wheat scarce and firm; No. 2 red $1 07. Corn in active demand; No. 2 mixed shelled 41½c. Oats steady; No. 2 mixed 36. Barley in good demand and unchanged. Pork nominally unchanged. Lard firm at 8.65. Bulk meats firm and unchanged. Bacon quiet; clear rib 7¾; clear 8¼. Whisky firmer at $1 10.

CHICAGO, January 8.—Wheat steady at 98½c cash; 98¾ bid February; 99¾ March. Corn stronger; 37½ cash; 37¾ February; 42¾ May. Oats steady; 31 cash; 31½ February; 35¾ May. Rye 88@89½. Barley $1 13. Whisky $1 11. Pork easier; $12 77½ cash; $12 82½ bid February; $12 97½ bid March. Lard weak; 8.60 cash; 8.65 bid February; 8.75 bid March.

TOLEDO, January 8.—Wheat quiet; No. 2 red Wabash cash and February $1 05¾; April $1 09¾. Corn firmer; high mixed 41; No. 2 cash 40 asked; May 44¾. Oats dull and nominal. Clover seed—Prime mammoth $5 10; prime $4 75; No. 3 $4 30.

NEW YORK, January 8.—Cotton—Futures steady; January 11.92; February 12.07; March 12.25; April 12.38; May 12.52; June 12.61.

BUFFALO, January 8.—Wheat inactive. Corn in good local demand; two cars new track 48¼@48¾. Other grain neglected.

Foreign Markets by Telegraph.

LIVERPOOL, 2 p. m., January

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February Term 1881, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of W. B. Homer, Executor of Samuel F. Green, to use of C. N. Cosant, assignee, and against C. C. Lozan, Everett W. Pattison and R. M. Funkhouser, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of Everett W. Pattison, one of the defendants in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit: Lots Nos. 114, 115, 116, 117 and 118, of Daniel D. Hage's western addition to the City of St. Louis, in city block No. 1069, of said city,

And I will, on
WEDNESDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of thatday, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named Everett W. Pattison, said defendant, of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., December 22, 1880. 71V

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of Levy Stern, and against James L. Patterson. I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant, James L. Patterson, and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

1. Lots 10 and 29 in block 7 of Lucas and Hunt's addition to Lucas Brilliante, said lot 10 having front of fifty feet on Wells avenue, and said lot 29 having a front of 50 feet on the St. Charles Rock road.

2. Lots 13 and 30 in block 9 of the same addition, said lot 13 fronting 50 feet on Florence avenue, and said lot 30 fronting 50 feet on Miller avenue.

3. Lots 1 and 41 in block 13 of same addition, said lot 1 fronting 64 feet 5½ inches on Miller avenue, and said lot 41 fronting 50 feet on Wells avenue.

4. A lot in block 501 of the city of St. Louis, beginning at the southeast corner of said block, and running thence northwardly along the western line of Twelfth street 22 feet 11 inches, thence west and parallel with Pine street one hundred feet, more or less to an alley; thence south along and with the eastern line of said alley 22 feet 11 inches to Pine street, and thence east along and with the north line of Pine street 100 feet, to the beginning point.

5. The undivided one-sixth of a lot in block 99 of the city of St. Louis, beginning at a point in the western line of Fourth street, 28 feet seven inches north of the southeast corner of said block, and running thence north along and with the western line of Fourth street 28 feet, 6 inches, thence westwardly and parallel with Olive street 134 feet, thence southwardly and parallel with Fourth street 28 feet 6 inches and thence eastwardly in a straight line to the point of beginning.

And I will, on
TUESDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named defendant, James L. Patterson, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., December 30, 1880. 72W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February Term 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Henry Stagg, Moses S. Moss, Jessie S. Moss and Solon Humphreys, trustee, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and to satisfy said execution and costs, as follows, to-wit:

Number 1. Lots 1 and 8, in block 13, in White Place addition, having each a front width of 66 feet on Julia avenue, by a depth or length each of 128 feet.

Number 2. Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, in block 13 in White Place addition, having each a front width of 150 feet on Julia avenue by a depth or length of 128 feet each.

Number 3. Lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, in city block 2294, having each a front width of 25 feet on Cook avenue by a depth or length each of 165 feet.

Number 5. Lots 16 and 17 in city block 2293, having each a front width of 30 feet on Finney avenue by a depth or length each of 150 feet.

Number 9. Lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, in city block 2294, having each a front width of 25 feet on Page avenue by a depth or length of 165 feet each.

And I will, on
SATURDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., January 4, 1881. 75W

Administrators' Notices.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Joseph Seligman, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

JOSEPH SELEGMAN,

deceased, and that I did so on the 24th day of December, 1880, for the purpose of administering on the same, and that I did so under orders of the Probate Court for the city of St. Louis, on petition of Missouri creditors.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the city of St. Louis.
Office, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust Sts., Ins. Building, St. Louis, Mo.. December 31, 1880. 23W

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Lewis Clark, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

LEWIS CLARK,

deceased, and that I did so on the 1st day of December 1880, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, Mo., December 31, 1880. 26W

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of John Harrington, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

JOHN HARRINGTON,

deceased, and that I did so on the 1st day of December, 1880, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust sts., Ins. Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 31, 1880. 23W

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT de bonis non.—In re estate of Wilhelmina Niederhoff deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

WILHELMINA NIEDERHOFF,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, de bonis non, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for City of St. Louis. Office, N. W. Corner Sixth and Locust streets, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 18, 1880 23W

ESTATE of Ellen Mackey, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of

ELLEN MACKEY,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 24th day of November, 1880.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1880.

ROBERT P. TANSEY,
Executor. 90T

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February term 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein Frederick Schmidt is plaintiff, and Elizabetha Neumann, alias Elizabeth Newmann, Charles Newmann, husband of said Elizabeth, and Joseph Ferguson, ter trustee, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, of the defendant Elizabetha Newmann, alias Elizabeth Newmann, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and chargeable with and bound for the payment of the debt, interest and costs in this suit, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A certain piece or parcel of ground lying and being in the State of Missouri, in the city of St. Louis, and described as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground situated in said city on the north side of West Brooklyn street, commencing at a point seventy-one and one-half feet west of north Tenth street, thence westwardly along the northern line of West Brooklyn street twenty feet, more or less, to a lot formerly belonging to Joseph H. Locke, thence northwardly along the eastern line of said last named lot to an alley, thence eastwardly along said alley twenty feet, thence in a straight line to the point of beginning, bounded south by West Brooklyn street, west by said lot of Locke, north by an alley, east by ground formerly owned by Shue, and being the same property conveyed to A. A. Russell and wife in trust for said Elizabeth, in trust for the sole and separate use and benefit for said Elizabeth.

And I will, on
TUESDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, being the separate estate of said Elizabeth Newmann to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, December 22, 1880. 65V

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution and decree issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein Robert M. Bevin, James T. Bevin, Mary Alice Bevin, Eliza A. Jackson, formerly Eliza A. Bevin, and wife of Robert A. Jackson, and Robert A. Jackson, heirs of James T. Bevin, deceased, are plaintiffs, and Robert W. Powell, John F. Lee, Jr., and Thomas Ward McManus are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate and all the right, title and interests of the plaintiffs therein, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with lien herein, and described in said execution and decree as follows, to-wit:

A certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, beginning at a point on the south front line of Chestnut street, distant eastwardly one hundred and sixty-nine (169) feet from the intersection of said south line with the east line of Twenty-first street, thence westwardly along said south line fifty-six (56) feet and four (4) inches, thence southwardly and parallel with Twenty-first street seventy-three (73) feet and five and one-half (5½) inches to an alley, thence eastwardly along the north line of said alley fifty-six(56) feet and four (4) inches, thence northwardly with the same parallel as before seventy-three (73) feet and five and one-half (5½) inches to the point of beginning, bounded on the north by Chestnut street, on the south by said alley, on the east by property lately belonging to James H. Lucas, deceased, and on the west by Charles H. Turner.

And I will, on
SATURDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF JANUARY 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, the above described property and all of said plaintiffs' interests therein, charged with said lien herein, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., January 4, 1881. 24W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February Term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Henry Stagg, John H. Tracy, the Central Trust Co., and Solon Humphreys, Michael H. Phealan, assignee in bankruptcy of the Central Savings Bank, S. D. Porter, trustee, Moses S. Forbes, E. O'Neil, cestui que trust, Hannah Stagg, wife of Henry Stagg Charles H. Davis cestui que trust, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described in said special execution as follows, to-wit:

Number 1. Two lots in city block No. 2292 on Finney avenue, each being 30 feet in front or width, and 165 feet in depth, and being respectively lots 10 and 17 in said block 2292.

Number 3. Two lots or tracts of land in city block No. 2294 on Cook avenue, each being 100 feet in front or width and 165 feet in depth, and being respectively the other lots 22, 23, 24 and 21 in survey No. 1561.

Number 4. Two lots on Julia avenue, each lot being 66 feet in front or width and 128 feet in depth, and being respectively lots 8 and 1 in said White Place addition to said city.

Number 5. Six lots on Julia avenue, each being 50 feet in front or width and 128 feet in depth, and being lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 respectively in block 13 of the White Place addition to said city.

Number 6. Four lots in city block No. 2291 on Page avenue, each being 25 feet in front or width and 165 feet in depth, being lots 13, 14, 15 and 16 in said block in survey No. 1561.

And I will, on
SATURDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis. Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., January 4, 1881. 26W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed in favor of Henrietta Stamm, and against Carl Stamm, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant Carl Stamm in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot in city block 3055 (known also as block 26 of Eler's survey), being 25 feet front on Main street by a depth westwardly of 138 feet and 5 inches, bounded on the east by Main street, south by property of Joseph Rebigarre, west by alley, and north by property of Casper Deery.

Lot in city block 3069 (known also as block 70 of Julia C. Soulard's second addition to the city of St. Louis) being the south part of lot number five (5), fronting 25 feet on the north line of Eighth street (58' 4") on Seventh street, by a depth eastwardly of one hundred and forty feet (140) to an alley, bounded west by Seventh street, south by property of John C. Degenhardt, east by alley, and north by property of Henry G. Soulard, August Eyerman lessee.

And I will, on
TUESDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named Carl Stamm, said defendant, of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., January 4, 1881. 24W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February Term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Henry Stagg, John H. Tracy, the Central Trust Co., and Solon Humphreys, Michael H. Phealan, assignee in bankruptcy of the Central Savings Bank, S. D. Porter, trustee, Moses S. Forbes, E. O'Neil, cestui que trust, Hannah Stagg, wife of Henry Stagg Charles H. Davis cestui que trust, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Number 2. Two lots in city block No. 2292 on Finney avenue, each being 30 feet in front or width, and 165 feet in depth, and being respectively lots 9 and 18 in said block 2292.

Number 8. Lots 1 and 41 in block 13 of same addition, said lot 1 fronting 64 feet 5½ inches on Miller avenue, and said lot 41 fronting 50 feet on Wells avenue.

4. A lot in block 501 of the city of St. Louis, beginning at the southeast corner of said block, and running thence northwardly along the western line of Twelfth street 22 feet 11 inches, thence west and parallel with Pine street one hundred feet, more or less to an alley; thence south along and with the eastern line of said alley 22 feet 11 inches to Pine street, and thence east along and with the north line of Pine street 100 feet, to the beginning point.

5. The undivided one-sixth of a lot in block 99 of the city of St. Louis, beginning at a point in the western line of Fourth street, 28 feet seven inches north of the southeast corner of said block, and running thence north along and with the western line of Fourth street 28 feet, 6 inches, thence westwardly and parallel with Olive street 134 feet, thence southwardly and parallel with Fourth street 28 feet 6 inches and thence eastwardly in a straight line to the point of beginning.

And I will, on
TUESDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named defendant, James L. Patterson, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., December 30, 1880. 23W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February Term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Henry Stagg, John H. Tracy, the Central Trust Co., and Solon Humphreys, trustee, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant, James L. Patterson, and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Number 1. Two lots in city block No. 2292 on Finney avenue, each being 30 feet in front or width, and 165 feet in depth, and being respectively lots 9 and 18 in said block 2292.

Number 3. Two lots or tracts of land in city block No. 2294 on Cook avenue, each being 100 feet in front or width and 165 feet in depth, and being respectively the other lots 22, 23, 24 and 21 in survey No. 1561.

Number 4. Two lots on Julia avenue, each lot being 66 feet in front or width and 128 feet in depth, and being respectively lots 8 and 1 in said White Place addition to said city.

Number 5. Six lots on Julia avenue, each being 50 feet in front or width and 128 feet in depth, and being lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 respectively in block 13 of the White Place addition to said city.

Number 6. Four lots in city block No. 2291 on Page avenue, each being 25 feet in front or width and 165 feet in depth, being lots 13, 14, 15 and 16 in said block in survey No. 1561.

And I will, on
SATURDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis. Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., January 4, 1881. 26W

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Wm. Schwoert, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

EVA SCHWOERT,

deceased, and that I did so on the 10th day of December, 1880, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the executor within one year after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, Mo., December 31, 1880. 23W

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of John Morehouse, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

JOHN MOREHOUSE,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, Mo., to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, December 18, 1880. 22J

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Patrick Donovan, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

PATRICK DONOVAN,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, with will annexed, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office northwest corner Sixth and Locust streets, Room 10, second floor, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 18, 1880. 12J

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Gardiner W. Lockwood, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

GARDINER W. LOCKWOOD,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement of said estate, at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be begun and holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, December 18, 1880. 17J

ESTATE of John D. Hogenkamp, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of

JOHN D. HOGENKAMP,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 7th day of December, 1880.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 7th day of December, 1881.

HENRY BERGHOFFER,
Administrator. 69W

LEGAL.

Trustees' Sales.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Pursuant to the provisions and for the purposes of a deed of trust executed by Leopold Steinberger and wife to the undersigned, Ferdinand Singer, as trustee, dated May 8th, 1875, recorded in book No 517, page 364, of the records of Recorder's office of the former county, now city of St. Louis, State of Missouri notice is hereby given that on

MONDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1881,

between the hours of twelve o'clock at noon and three o'clock in the afternoon, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, I will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, situate in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit: Lot number fourteen (14) of George H. Crossman's subdivision of city block No. 482 east of said city of St. Louis, including all improvements thereon, said lot having a front of twenty-five (25) feet by a depth of 129 feet 5½ inches to an alley 15 feet wide. Bounded north by lot No. 13, south by lot No. 15, west by said alley and east by private line, all as per plat of said subdivision of record in the Recorder's office aforesaid.

FERDINAND SINGER, Trustee.
St. Louis, December 24, 1880. 85V

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, Napoleon Willis, by his deed dated November 1, 1872, and duly recorded on page 288, of book No. 12, of the records or Recorder of Deeds for the county of St. Louis, conveyed to Henry D. Hatch, as trustee, all that certain parcel of real estate in the county of St. Louis, State of Missouri, being a part of block two (2) of East Kirkwood (a plat of which subdivision is of record in the Recorder's office of said St. Louis county) and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point in the center of Madison avenue, five hundred and seventy-three (573) feet west of the center line of Holmes avenue, thence east along the center line of Madison avenue one hundred and fourteen feet six inches (114 ft. 6 in.) to the southwest corner of land owned by George Eryant, thence north along said Bryant's west line three hundred and eighty (380) feet to the center of Main street, thence west along the center of Main street one hundred and fourteen feet six inches (114 ft. 6 in.), and thence south three hundred and eighty (380) feet to the point of beginning; being the same property acquired by the herein conveying party this day by deed from John W. Sutherland; in trust, however, to secure the payment of certain notes specified in said deed; and whereas, by terms of said deed, in case of the death, etc., of said Robert A. Jackson, heirs of James T. Bevin, deceased, are plaintiffs, and Robert W. Powell, John F. Lee, Jr., and Thomas Ward McManus are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate and all the right, title and interests of the plaintiffs therein, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with lien herein, and described in said execution and decree as follows, to-wit:

A certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, beginning at a point on the south front line of Chestnut street, distant eastwardly one hundred and sixty-nine (169) feet from the intersection of said south line with the east line of Twenty-first street, thence westwardly along said south line fifty-six (56) feet and four (4) inches, thence southwardly and parallel with Twenty-first street seventy-three (73) feet and five and one-half (5½) inches to an alley, thence eastwardly along the north line of said alley fifty-six(56) feet and four (4) inches, thence northwardly with the same parallel as before seventy-three (73) feet and five and one-half (5½) inches to the point of beginning, bounded on the north by Chestnut street, on the south by said alley, on the east by property lately belonging to James H. Lucas, deceased, and on the west by Charles H. Turner.

And I will, on
SATURDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF JANUARY 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, the above described property and all of said plaintiffs' interests therein, charged with said lien herein, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., January 4, 1881. 24W

61W

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Default having been made in the payment of two of the notes described in a deed of trust dated the 15th day of December, 1879, executed by William F. Hughes, trustee for Estelle S. Moss, Jessie S. Moss and Benjamin Herman L. Moss, and duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the city of St. Louis, in book 623, page 141. Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that, at the request of the legal holder of said notes, and by virtue of the power vested in me by said deed of trust, I shall, on

TUESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and five o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, proceed to sell, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described tracts of real estate, situate, lying, and being in block 2292 and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point in the south line of Page street opposite the middle of the partition wall between houses No. 1520 and 1522 Papin street, which point is the northwest corner of a lot sold by Grether and Bock to L. Heap; thence westwardly and along with the south line of Papin street eighteen feet, sixty inches (18 ft. 9 in.), more or less, to a point opposite the centre of the partition wall between houses No. 1522 and 1524 Papin street, thence running southwardly through the partition wall first above mentioned and parallel with the east line of lot number four (4) of block number one (1) of St. Mary Suburb one hundred and fifty (150) feet more or less to a point on the north line of Leonard avenue, thence eastwardly with the north line of said alley eighteen feet nine inches (18 ft. 9 in.) more or less to the southwest corner of lot sold to said Heap; thence northwardly with said Heap's western line, and through the partition wall first above mentioned, one hundred and fifty (150) feet more or less to the point of beginning. Bounded north by Papin street, east by L. W. Heap, south by said alley and west by Mary A. Jones, trustee.

BERNHARD LOEBLEIN,
Trustee.
St. Louis, Mo., January 7, 1881. 50W

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas Charles Fischer (single) by his certain deed of trust, dated 15th February, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, Mo., in book 866, page 196, conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situated in block No. 542 of said city of St. Louis, to-wit: Lots numbered seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19) and twenty (20) in block number five (5) of Taylor and Mason's addition to said city, having an aggregate front of one hundred and five feet and eight inches (105' 8") on the west line of Eighth street by a depth of one hundred feet (100'), bounded north by lot No. 21, on Eighth street, south by lot No. 24, and west by an alley: which said conveyance to the undersigned was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described, and whereas said note has become due and remains unpaid. Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note and in pursuance of the condition in said deed of trust, the undersigned will, on

THURSDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., sell the above described real estate at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said notes and the costs of executing this trust.

AUGUST GEHNER,
62W Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Default having been made in the payment of two of the notes described in a deed of trust dated the 15th day of December, 1879, executed by William F. Hughes, trustee for Estelle S. Moss, Jessie S. Moss and Benjamin Herman L. Moss, and duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the city of St. Louis, in book 623, page 141. Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that, at the request of the legal holder of said notes, and by virtue of the power vested in me by said deed of trust, I shall, on

TUESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and five o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, proceed to sell, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described tracts of real estate, situate, lying, and being in block 2292 and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point in the south line of Page street, which point is the northwest corner of a lot sold by Grether and Bock to L. Heap; thence westwardly and along with the south line of Papin street eighteen feet, sixty inches (18 ft. 9 in.), more or less, to a point opposite the centre of the partition wall between houses No. 1522 and 1524 Papin street, thence running southwardly through the partition wall first above mentioned and parallel with the east line of lot number four (4) of block number one (1) of St. Mary Suburb one hundred and fifty (150) feet more or less to a point on the north line of Leonard avenue, thence eastwardly with the north line of said alley eighteen feet nine inches (18 ft. 9 in.) more or less to the southwest corner of lot sold to said Heap; thence northwardly with said Heap's western line, and through the partition wall first above mentioned, one hundred and fifty (150) feet more or less to the point of beginning. Bounded north by Papin street, east by L. W. Heap, south by said alley and west by Mary A. Jones, trustee.

BERNHARD LOEBLEIN,
Trustee.
St. Louis, Mo., January 7, 1881. 50W

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas Henry Wachter by his certain deed of trust dated 5th day of May, A. D. 1879, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, Mo., in book 606, page 537, conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situated in block No. 1939 of said city of St. Louis, Mo., to-wit: Lots numbered twenty-eight (28) and twenty-nine (29) in block number four of George Bailer's first addition, said lots having an aggregate front of fifty feet (50) on Benzen street by a depth of eighty-eight feet (88); which said conveyance to the undersigned was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain note in said deed of trust described, and whereas, said note has become due and remains unpaid. Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note and in pursuance of the condition in said deed of trust, the undersigned will, on

THURSDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., sell the above described real estate at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, for the purposes of satisfying said notes and the costs of executing this trust.

AUGUST GEHNER,
61W Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Default having been made in the payment of two of the notes described in a deed of trust dated the 15th day of December, 1879, executed by William F. Hughes, trustee for Estelle S. Moss, Jessie S. Moss and Benjamin Herman L. Moss, and duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the city of St. Louis, in book 623, page 141. Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that, at the request of the legal holder of said notes, and by virtue of the power vested in me by said deed of trust, I shall, on

TUESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and five o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, proceed to sell, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described tracts of real estate, situate, lying, and being in block 2292 and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point in the south line of Page street, which point is the northwest corner of a lot sold by Grether and Bock to L. Heap; thence westwardly and along with the south line of Papin street eighteen feet, sixty inches (18 ft. 9 in.), more or less, to a point opposite the centre of the partition wall between houses No. 1522 and 1524 Papin street, thence running southwardly through the partition wall first above mentioned and parallel with the east line of lot number four (4) of block number one (1) of St. Mary Suburb one hundred and fifty (150) feet more or less to a point on the north line of Leonard avenue, thence eastwardly with the north line of said alley eighteen feet nine inches (18 ft. 9 in.) more or less to the southwest corner of lot sold to said Heap; thence northwardly with said Heap's western line, and through the partition wall first above mentioned, one hundred and fifty (150) feet more or less to the point of beginning. Bounded north by Papin street, east by L. W. Heap, south by said alley and west by Mary A. Jones, trustee.

BERNHARD LOEBLEIN,
Trustee.
St. Louis, Mo., January 7, 1881. 50W

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas Charles Fischer (single) by his certain deed of trust, dated 15th February, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, Mo., in book 866, page 196, conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situated in block No. 542 of said city of St. Louis, to-wit: Lots numbered seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19) and twenty (20) in block number five (5) of Taylor and Mason's addition to said city, having an aggregate front of one hundred and five feet and eight inches (105' 8") on the west line of Eighth street by a depth of one hundred feet (100'), bounded north by Victor street, east by Eighth street, south by lot No. 24, and west by an alley: which said conveyance to the undersigned was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described; and whereas one of said notes has become due and remains unpaid. Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said notes and in pursuance of the conditions in said deed of trust, the undersigned will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., sell the above described real estate at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said notes and the costs of executing this trust.

AUGUST GEHNER,
62W Trustee.

Administrators' Notices.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of John Morehouse, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

JOHN MOREHOUSE,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, Mo., to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, December 18, 1880. 22J

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Patrick Donovan, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

PATRICK DONOVAN,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, with will annexed, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of

LEGAL.

Trustees' Sales.

WHEREAS, Thomas D. Harris and Sarah R., his wife, by their certain deed of trust, bearing date January 12, 1876, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, in book 538, page 308, conveyed to the undersigned trustee certain real estate described in said deed of trust as follows, to-wit: The following described lot of R. M. Pond's subdivision of blocks Nos. 28 and 31 of subdivision of the commons of Carondelet north of River des Peres, a plat of which subdivision is on file in the Recorder's office of St. Louis county, Missouri, to-wit: Lot number five (5) of said subdivision, fronting fifty (50) feet on the south side of Pond avenue, by a depth southwardly of the same of one hundred and twenty-five feet to a fifteen foot alley, one hundred and twenty-five and 3-5 inches, bounded north by said Blow avenue, east by lot number six of same block, south by said alley and west by lot number four of said subdivision and being the same premises which Thomas D. Harris acquired from R. M. Field, grantee, which deed of trust was made to secure the payment of a certain note in said deed of trust described, and said note has become due, and default has been made in the payment thereof. Now, therefore, in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, and for the purpose of satisfying the same, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, notice is hereby given that I shall, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 4 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, proceed to sell the real estate in said deed of trust described, to the highest bidder, for cash.

E. J. C. RANDALL,
38R Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, Henry Schoo and Caroline, his wife, by their deed dated October 1, 1872, and recorded on page 181, of book No. 1872, and recorded in the records of the Recorder of Deeds for the city (now city) of St. Louis, conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit: Lot number one (1) in block number one hundred and ninety-one (191), according to Pond's addition, and said lot of ground being more particularly described as follows, to-wit: beginning at a point in the western edge of Church street which point is forty-two feet south of the northeastern corner of said block numbered ninety-one, thence running westwardly and along the southern edge of Church street southwardly parallel with said Church street one hundred and forty (140) feet, thence westwardly and at right angles with said Church street one hundred and forty feet in depth to the eastern edge of an alley, thence northwardly along the eastern edge of said alley one hundred and twenty feet, more or less, to the southwestern corner of Lot No. 1, thence eastwardly along the southern line of said Lot No. 1 one hundred and forty feet to the point of beginning. Also, a certain piece of ground in the extension and subdivision of fractional blocks and lots in Julia C. Soulard's second addition to said city of St. Louis, being fractional block number ninety-one, bounded as follows, to-wit: beginning at a point which is the southeastern corner of fractional block ninety-one, thence running eastwardly along the southern edge of Park avenue forty-six feet, thence southwardly parallel with Church street one hundred and eight and three-fourth inches to a point in the northern edge of Ohio avenue, thence westwardly and parallel with Barry street forty-five feet ten inches more or less to an alley twenty feet wide, thence northwardly along the eastern edge of said twenty foot alley, five feet one inch to the place of beginning, in trust to secure the payment of certain notes specified in said deed of trust under the provisions of said deed the undersigned will offer said property for sale at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, at the south front door of the Court-house, in said city of St. Louis, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1ST, 1881,

for the purpose of said trust.

ALEXANDER WINDMUELLER,
Trustee.

FISHER & JACOBY, Agents, 406 Morgan street, St. Louis, January 8, 1881. 70 W.

NOTICE OF SALE.—By order of the Circuit Court of the city of St. Louis, dated December 23, 1880, I will on the

12TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1881,

between the hours of 12 o'clock m. and 1 o'clock p. m. at the Merchants' Exchange in said city, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder 520 shares of the capital stock of the Keokuk & Northern Line Packet Company, for the purposes set forth in said deed.

JAMES WARD,
Trustee.

Administrators' Notices.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Catharine Goldbeck, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

CATHARINE GOLDBECK,

deceased, and that I did so on the 22d day of December, 1880, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, Mo., December 31, 1880. 22W

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Joseph H. Webster, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

JOSEPH H. WEBSTER,

deceased, and that I did so on the 31st day of November, 1880, for the purpose of administering on the same, and that I did so under an order of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Room 10, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust sts., Ins. Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 31, 1880. 27W

ESTATE of James Gray, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of

JAMER GRAY,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 6th day of January, 1881.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 6th day of January, 1881.

JAMES P. GRAY,
6W Administrator.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

GEORGE K. BUDD,

deceased, that I, the undersigned executrix of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next, 1881.

REBECCA P. BUDD,
Executrix of estate of George K. Budd, deceased.
St. Louis, January 7, 1881. 6SW

Assignees' Notices.

IN THE MATTER ASSIGNMENT OF Appleton, Noyes & Maude. Notice is hereby given that A. Hitchcock, assignee of Appleton, Noyes & Maude, has filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court, of St. Louis, a statement of the accounts of his trust to the December term, 1880, of said court, together with proper vouchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said court, in room No. 3, on Tuesday, the 18th day of January, 1881, unless cause to the contrary be shown.

CHARLES F. VOGEL,
Clerk Circuit Court, City of St. Louis.
T. ALLEN, 421 Olive. 17W

Miscellaneous.

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF STOCKS.—By order of the St. Louis Probate Court, I will at 12 o'clock on Thursday, the 13th day of January, A. D. 1881, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, sell the following stocks belonging to the estate of Adelaide Werner-Laue, to-wit: 5 shares Western Stone Manufacturing stock, 2 shares Maguire Market stocks, 3 shares Twelfth Ward Savings Association, 2 shares Fifth Ward Savings Association.

Terms—Cash.

FRANCIS NOHL,
6W Guardian.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, on the 17th day of December, 1880, as guardian of the person and estate of Reinhard Kayser, who was heretofore by due and regular proceeding had in and by said court declared to be of unsound mind and incapable of managing his affairs.

ALEXANDER H. KAYSER,
Guardian of R. Kayser.
St. Louis, December 28, 1880. 2W

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Administrators' Notices.

ESTATE of Karl Schmidt, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration (or testamentary) on the estate of

KARL SCHMIDT,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 14th day of December, 1880.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1880.

HERMAN SCHMIDT,
15V Administrator of Karl Schmidt, deceased.

SURVIVING PARTNER'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned qualified as surviving partner of the late firm of F. A. Witte & Co., by giving bond, according to law, in the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis on the 9th day of December, 1880.

All persons having claims against the partnership effects are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the grant of administration thereon or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

The firm was composed of F. A. Witte, now deceased, and of the undersigned.

OTTO H. WITTE,
Surviving Partner of F. A. Witte & Co.
St. Louis, December 10, 1880. 23R

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Samuel S. Entriken, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

SAMUEL S. ENTRIKEN,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator, in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, December, 18, 1880. 24J

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Neil Matheson.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested the estate of

NEIL MATHESON,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator, in charge of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house, in said city, on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N.W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, Mo., December 18, 1880. 13J

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of James Fischer, M. D., deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

JAMES FISCHER, M. D.,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of St. Louis City, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis. Office Northwest corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building, Room 10.
St. Louis, Mo. December 18, 1880. 14J

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of G. B. August Bruns, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

G. B. AUGUST BRUNS,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator, in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city, on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, N. W. corner Sixth and Locust streets, Ins. Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 18, 1880. 15J

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

JOHN H. NABERHAUS,

deceased, that I, the undersigned administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in March, 1881.

JOHN J. OSTERMANN,
Administrator of J. H. Naberhaus, deceased.
St. Louis, January 3, 1880. 19W

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of John Getzelman, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

JOHN GETZELMAN,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator, in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof, at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city, on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust sts., Ins. Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 18, 1880. 18J

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Frank Molair, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors, and others interested in the estate of

FRANK MOLAIR,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator, in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1880.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, December, 18, 1881. 21J

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In rel estate of Henry R. Watson, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

HENRY R. WATSON,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of the said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office northwest corner Sixth and Locust sts., Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 18, 1880. 20J

ESTATE of Peter O'Brien, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of

PETER O'BRIEN,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, on the 8th day of December, 1880. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1880.

ANN FOWLER,
24R Executrix.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of William Mueller, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

WILLIAM MUELLER,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator, in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city, on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, December 18, 1880. 19J

ESTATE of Enoch M. Withers, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of

ENOCH M. WITHERS,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 29th day of December, 1880.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 30th day of December, 1880.

EDWIN S. PIKE,
18W Executor.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Thomas Conroy, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

THOMAS CONROY,

deceased, and that I did so on the 22d day of December, 1880, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust sts., Ins. Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 31, 1880. 21W

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Ellen O'Connor, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

ELLEN O'CONNOR,

deceased, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office northwest corner Sixth and Locust streets, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 18, 1880. 16J

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Orders of Publication.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, October Term, 1880.
Friday, December 3, 1880.
Fanny Mulhall
vs
William Paris Mulhall.

It appearing from the affidavit filed herein this day that the defendant has since the filing of the petition herein, to-wit: November 23, 1880, absconded, or absented himself from his usual place of abode in this State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney, it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant on the ground that defendant, wholly regardless of all his marital vows and obligations, has offered to plaintiff such indignities as render her condition intolerable; that he used all sorts of abuse towards plaintiff, containing vile, obscene and indecent language, and that he struck and beat plaintiff; and for a decree of this court restoring to said plaintiff her maiden name of Fanny Fielding; for the custody of her infant child; for the possession of certain furniture in said petition described; for alimony and maintenance for the support of said plaintiff, and enjoining and restraining defendant from interfering with, or taking or holding possession of the household furniture aforesaid.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and, on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court city of St. Louis, this 7th day of December, 1880.

{SEAL} CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
21R

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, city of St. Louis, ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, December Term, 1880.
Thursday, December 9, 1880.
David D. Dannals, Mary A. McLean and William McCullough
vs.
Henry F. Dannals, Thomas S. Dannals, Mollie Kate Dannals, minor, George B. Dannals, minor, Frank L. Dannals, minor, and James Dannals Tillinghast.

It appearing from the affidavit attached to the petition that said defendants are all non-residents of the State of Missouri, therefore on motion of plaintiffs, by attorney, it is ordered that said defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment in rem for the sum of two hundred and forty-one and 67-100 dollars interest and costs, against the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit:

1. A certain parcel of land situated in city block number three thousand and sixty-three north (3063 N.), and being lot number 5 in John C. Ivory's subdivision of the second part of block 10, Surrey 2, of the former commons, afterwards city of Carondelet, said lot containing a front of 25 feet on the west side of Fifth street and running westwardly of equal width one hundred and forty feet (140) to a fifteen foot (15 ft.) alley, and being bounded north by lot number 6 of said subdivision, east by Fifth street, south by lot number 4 of said subdivision and west by said alley.

2d. A certain parcel of land situated in city block number nineteen hundred and eighty-four north (1984 N.), and being lot numbered 9 in block 2 of Easton's subdivision, a plat of which subdivision is on file in the Recorder's office for St. Louis city in plat book number 6, page 87, said lot having a front of twenty-seven feet (27 ft.) eleven and one-half inches (11½ in.) on Vineyard street, and running back with that width southwardly one hundred and eight feet and one-half inch (108½ in.) more or less, and being bounded north by Vineyard street, west by lot number 8, east by lot number 10 and south by lot number 32 in block 2, as designated on said plat of Easton's subdivision, said lot having improvements thereon of small value; and for the distribution of the proceeds of said sale among the parties to this suit

And unless they appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and, on or before the third day thereof, answer to the plaintiffs' petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court city of St. Louis, this 7th day of December, 1880.

{SEAL} CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, October Term, 1880.
Saturday, October 30, 1880.
The State of Missouri at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri,
vs.
Hiram W. Leffingwell, W. B. Swan et al.
[No. 825.]

It appearing from the return of the Sheriff on the writ in this cause that the defendants Catharine V. Price, Thomas M. Price, D. L. Hammond, Sarah G. Hammond, W. F. Barsh, Augusta G. Barsh, Charles L. Hammond, Mary A. Washington, Julia S. Kingman, Emma W. Kingman, Anna McKie, Jos. S. McKie, Mary E. Kingman and Sam. E. Hammond cannot be found in the city of St. Louis, and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on said defendants, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney, it is ordered that said defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them and others, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment in rem for the sum of two hundred and forty-one and 67-100 dollars interest and costs, against the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit:

1. The east part of lot No. 56, Lindell's second addition to the city of St. Louis, said lot having a front on Baker avenue of 275 feet and 2 inches, by a depth of 450 feet and 11 inches and a width in the rear of 324 feet and 3 inches. 2. Part of lot No. 56, Lindell's second addition to the city of St. Louis, fronting 329 feet and 6 inches on Baker avenue, by 450 feet and 11 inches deep, and with a width in the rear of 273 feet, bounded north by Lladell avenue, east by land of Leffingwell and others, south by Baker avenue and west by lot of H. W. Leffingwell and others. 3. Part of lot No. 56, Lindell's second addition to the city of St. Louis, fronting 13 feet on Baker avenue, by 450 feet deep, bounded north by Lindell avenue, east by land of Leffingwell et al., south by Baker avenue and west by land of Geggie and others.

Being for back taxes due and unpaid on said above described real estate for the years 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875 and 1876.

And unless they appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the third Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 30th day of October, 1880.

{SEAL} CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
KING & CHAPIN, plaintiff's att'ys. 9J

ORDER OF PUBLICATION,

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.
In the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, October Term, 1880.
Saturday, October 30, 1880.
The State of Missouri at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri.
vs.
Charles Gibson, Mrs. Caroline C. Robb, John B. Denver, Samuel Simmons, trustee, Theophile Papin, trustee.
[1728.]

It appearing from the Sheriff's return on the writ in this cause that the defendant John B. Denver can not be found in the city of St. Louis, and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the ordinary process of law can not be served on said defendant, on motion of plaintiff by attorney it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him and others, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment in rem for the sum of six hundred and six 73-100 dollars interest and costs, against the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit:

Number 1. A lot of ground containing two 70-100 acres, being the south half of lot 1 in the addition to said city known as part of lot 4 in Peter Lindell estate, in survey 2.037. Number 2. A lot of ground containing three 1-100 acres, being the north half of lot 1, in the addition to said city known as part of lot 4 in Peter Lindell's estate addition, in survey 2.037. Number 3. A lot of ground on McNair avenue, in city block 1,326, 302 feet in front or width and 128 feet 3 inches in length or depth, being in block 15 in city commons, and bounded on the north by Lafayette avenue, on the east by the real estate of one Nicholson, on the south by block No. 1.327, on the west by McNair avenue.

Being for back taxes due and unpaid on said described real estate for the years 1877 and 1878.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and, on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court city of St. Louis, this 30th day of October, 1880.

{SEAL} CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
M. B. JONAS, Plaintiff's attorney. 4J

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, city of St. Louis, ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, December Term, 1880.
Friday, December 17, 1880.
William F. Oldham
vs.
Myra A. Oldham.

It appearing to the Court from the petition filed herein this day, duly verified by affidavit, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of plaintiff by his attorney, it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between him and said defendant on the grounds that defendant absented herself from plaintiff without just cause for more than one year prior to filing said petition.

And unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and, on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court city of St. Louis, this 17th day of December, 1880.

{SEAL} CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, December Term, 1880.
Thursday, December 16, 1880.
Mary Morell
vs.
Joseph Morell.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of plaintiff, by her attorney, it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant has offered plaintiff such indignities as to render her condition intolerable, and that he has deserted her; and for further relief granting the said plaintiff the care and custody of her minor children and the restoration of her maiden name.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and, on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 17th day of December, 1880.

{SEAL} CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
J. W. COLLINS, Plaintiff's Att'y. 11J

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, October Term, 1880.
Saturday, October 30, 1880.
The State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri,
vs.
Elizabeth Desanmerez.
[No. 1764.]

It appearing from the return of the Sheriff on the writ in this cause that said defendant Elizabeth Desanmerez can not be found in the city of St. Louis, and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on said defendant on motion of plaintiff by attorney, it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment in rem for the sum of seventeen dollars and forty-two cents, interest and costs, against the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Jefferson avenue in city block 2,564, 39 feet in front or width and 145 feet in length or depth, being the south half of lots 27 and 28 in Bay's subdivision.

Being for back taxes due and unpaid on said above described real estate for the year 1878.

And unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 13th day of December, 1880.

{SEAL} CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
M. B. JONAS, att'y for plaintiff. 1J

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.
In the matter of W. W. Heaps, complainant.
Justice Court, J. M. Young, Esq.—Proceedings to enforce stablekeeper's lien.

And now on this day comes the complainant in the above proceeding, and it appearing to the Justice from the statement, account and affidavit filed herein that the same is a proceeding to enforce complainant's lien as the keeper of a livery and boarding stable against certain property described in said statement to-wit: one certain bay horse, sixteen hands high, blind in both eyes and ten or eleven years old, one stake cart or truck, two wheels, and one set of old cart harness, and it further appearing from said statement and affidavit that the name and residence of the owner or claimant of said property is unknown to complainant and that service of process cannot be had upon said owner; now, therefore it is hereby ordered by the Justice that said complainant give notice to such unknown owner of said property by publication for three successive days in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a daily newspaper published in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, notifying such unknown owner or claimant of the filing of said statement, account and affidavit by complainant to enforce such lien against said property, and that unless such unknown owner or claimant appear before said Justice at his office, No. 421 Chestnut street, in said city and State, on the 20th day of January, 1881, at the hour of 7 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, judgment will be rendered in favor of said complainant and said property will be sold to satisfy said claim specified in said account filed together with the costs of these proceedings.

JOHN M. YOUNG,
Justice of the Peace.
J. P. VASTINE, Attorney for Complainant.
St. Louis, January 5, 1881. 48W

Administrators' Notices.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Wm. H. Collett, deceased.—Notice is hereby given I have taken charge of the estate of

WILLIAM H. COLLETT,

deceased, and that I did so on the 6th day of December, 1880, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office, Room 10, 2d Floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, Mo., December 31, 1880. 24W

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, December Term, 1880.
Friday, December 17, 1880.
George H. Chase and Joseph C. Cabot, partners doing busines under the name of Chase & Cabot,
vs.
Mark Samter.
Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit attached to the petition herein that the defendant is not a resident of this State, on motion of plaintiffs, by attorney, it is ordered that the defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him for the sum of nine hundred and twenty-five and 4-100 dollars on account of dry good which plaintiff sold and delivered to defendant at his request; that on February 16, 1880, plaintiffs demanded of defendant payment of said sum, and that no part of the same has been paid and that his property has been attached.

And unless he appear at the term of this Court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof, answer to the action aforesaid, according to law, judgment will be rendered against him and his property sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court city of St. Louis, this 17th day of December, 1880.

{SEAL} CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.
In the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, December Term, 1880.
Wednesday, December 15, 1880.
The State of Missouri at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri,
vs.
Samuel Spencer, Daniel B. Clark et al.
[1888.]

It appearing from the plaintiff's petition in this cause that the defendants Samuel Spencer, Hamilton R. Searles, Samuel T. Williams and Daniel C. Spencer are non-residents of the State of Missouri, and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on said defendants, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney, it is ordered that said defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them and others, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment in rem for the sum of twenty-one and 86-100 dollars, interest and costs, against the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot No. 20 of Maguire's Addition to the City of St. Louis and being lot No. 20 of city block No. 2,834, fronting 25 feet on Maguire Market Place by a depth of 93 feet.

Being for back taxes due and unpaid on said above described real estate for the years 1877 and 1878.

And unless they appear at the term of this Court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 15th day of December, 1880.

{SEAL} CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
KING, CHAPIN & JONAS, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 8J

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, December Term, 1880.
Friday, October 27, 1880.
William C. Jamison
vs.
William W. Singleton and Nathan M. Singleton.
Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit attached to the petition herein that both defendants are non-residents of the State of Missouri, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney, it is ordered that the defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them, for the sum of nine hundred and thirty-five dollars and seventy cents, on account of a certain negotiable promissory note dated January 5, 18—, payable ninety days after date to plaintiff, for nine hundred and thirty-five dollars and seventy cents, for value received, negotiable and payable without defalcation or discount, with interest from date at the rate of ten per cent per annum, at the Boatmen's Savings Bank in St. Louis, Missouri

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Immigration Subscriptions.

The various committees of citizens who are soliciting subscriptions for the Missouri Immigration Society are meeting with most gratifying success. This morning the Committee on Agricultural Implements, consisting of Alvah Mansur, J. A. Field, M. Volkenheimer and N. J. Colman, completed their work and reported having collected $435 as follows:

Kingsland & Ferguson	$ 50
J. S. Haynes & Co.	50
Deere, Mansur & Co.	50
B. D. Budford & Co.	25
Ferd. Bauer & Co.	25
Henry Reinstedler	25
Dolton Bros	25
Semple & Birge Manufacturing Co.	25
Champion Machine Co.	25
Gibbs & Sterrett Manufacturing Co.	25
Whitman Agricultural Co.	25
J. L. Field & Co.	25
Wm. Koeniz & Co.	25
Spannagel & Kuhlemann	10
L. M. Rumsey Manufacturing Co.	25
Total	$435

One additional subscription to the brewers' and maltsters' list has also been received by Secretary Renshaw, that of John F. Heidelbreder for $10. It is expected that the following committees will report before six o'clock to-night: Millers, wholesale druggists, jewelers, chinaware men, retail liquor dealers and street railroads. The cider and vinegar men have nearly completed their work and will turn in about $100. The total cash received up to noon to-day was something over $2,200.

CHANGE OF TIME—VANDALIA LINE.

On and after MONDAY, JANUARY 10, 1881, Express Passenger Trains of the VANDALIA LINE will leave and arrive at St. Louis Union Depot, DAILY, as follows:

DAY EXPRESS.

Leaves at 8:00 a. m.; arrives at 8:15 p. m.

LOUISVILLE AND CINCINNATI EXPRESS.

Leaves at 6:30 p. m.; arrives at 8:00 a. m.

PITTSBURG AND NEW YORK EXPRESS.

Leaves at 7:00 p. m.; arrives at 7:30 a. m.

Ticket offices, 100 North Fourth street and Union Depot. E. A. FORD, General Passenger Agent.

J. HILL, General Superintendent.

GREENBACK HOPES.

Mr. Jas. A. Spurlock, of Versailles, Sanguine for the Next Election.

Mr. James A. Spurlock, of Versailles, Mo., is in the city stopping at the Planters' House. Mr. Spurlock is a gentleman very well known in Central Missouri, where he was this fall a candidate for Circuit Judge on the Greenback ticket.

"How on earth did you folks manage to beat Philips?" queried the reporter.

"Oh, it was a very simple matter. You see Philips got so high up that we Osage River people couldn't reach to him any more. He might have been elected if the district was all such counties as Pettis and Cooper, but we folks down in the woods liked the other man better."

"I suppose you have great hopes for the next election?"

"Of course we have; we have every reason to be hopeful. I tell you we will carry the State next time."

"How do you like Cockrell?"

"We like him so much that Mr. Wray, our Democratic member of the Legislature in Morgon, was elected upon the understanding that he was to vote for Cockrell, by the Greenback vote. Cockrell is really a Greenbacker, you know; we understand that."

TALMAGE IN TROUBLE.

The Superintendent of the Missouri Pacific Sued.

Startling Allegations Against Messrs. Talmage and Cummings by Thomas Sanders.

A suit was filed this morning in the Circuit Court by W. C. Bragg, in behalf of Thos. H. B. Sanders, against Superintendent Talmage, of the Missouri Pacific Road, and Warder Cummings. The allegations are as follows: A copartnership was formed in the year 1869, between plaintiff and the defendants, Talmage and Cummings, who were then at that time officers of the St. Louis and Indianapolis Railroad. Talmage as such understood the needs and operations of the road, and large discretionary power was given to him in the location and building of stations, depots and side tracks along the road. The partnership was formed for the purchase of lands in Montgomery county, Ill., the laying out, surveying and planning of the town of Witt and the location of a station there. The plaintiff purchased the lands and did the surveying work, etc., in pursuance of the partnership obligations. The farmers and the shippers of the neighborhood were induced to subscribe $800 for the construction of a side track at Witt. That money was collected by plaintiff, and he subscribed $500 himself, but both sums which were intended for the railroad company were never paid over by the defendants Talmage and Cummings. The plaintiff alleges that he gave the money to the defendants and that was the last heard of it. Under the partnership agreement the plaintiff was to receive $50 a month for his services and he received that sum from the defendant Cummings for a period of fourteen months, and from Talmage he received "five extra conductor certificates" on the railroad company's office, of the face value of $50 each. These amounts were charged against his partnership interest improperly. He further alleges that the lands were sold at a profit and that the defendants received altogether from that source $8,000, for which they refuse to account. The plaintiff seeks a decree of court ordering the defendants to render an account, determine plaintiff's interest and for judgment against defendants in the sum found to be due the plaintiff, with costs.

VANDALIA LINE.

Important Notice to Travelers.

To better accommodate its rapidly increasing passenger traffic, the Vandalia Line will, on and after

Monday, January 10, 1881

Run Three Daily Express Passenger Trains from St. Louis to the East, as follows:

"Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati, Columbus, Pittsburg and New York Day Express," with Pullman hotel cars, St. Louis to New York without change, will

Leave St. Louis, Daily, 8 A. M.

"Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Louisville Night Express," with Pullman sleepers and day coaches, St. Louis to Cincinnati and Louisville without change, will

Leave St. Louis, Daily, 6:30 P. M.

"Columbus, Pittsburg, Washington, Philadelphia and New York Night Express," with Pullman sleepers, St. Louis to New York without change, and with day coaches St. Louis to Pittsburg without change, will

Leave St. Louis Daily, 7:00 P. M.

Chicago trains, via Vandalia and Illinois Central Railroad Line, will leave St. Louis as usual, 8:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Passengers for Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Louisville leaving St. Louis in the evening should take the 6:30 p. m. train.

Passengers for points east of Indianapolis leaving St. Louis in the evening should take the 7:00 p. m. train.

We believe that the traveling public will appreciate the enterprise of the Vandalia Line in placing at their service two INDEPENDENT night trains from St. Louis eastward—one to Cincinnati and Louisville, without delay or change of cars, and the other to Pittsburg and points East, without delays or changes.

CARONDELET JOTTINGS.

James O'Neil, freight brakeman on the Iron Mountain Railroad, while coupling cars this morning had his left arm crushed between the bumpers so badly that amputation was necessary, which was performed by Dr. Outten.

The horse of Dr. Fick, standing in front of his residence, took fright yesterday afternoon, and after running a few squares collided with a buggy belonging to Geo. Vail, damaging it to the smount of $10. No injury to Dr. Fick's buggy.

A large number of ladies and gentlemen attended the installation last night of the officers of Jupiter Lodge, Knights of Honor. Joseph W. Branch, Grand Dictator of the Order in Missouri, installed the officers, after which he made a very interesting address on the state of the order and its general objects. The impression produced by his remarks was most favorable, and will, no doubt, be of great benefit to Jupiter Lodge. He was followed by the Dictator, Dr. M. B. Outten, in his usual happy style. A recess was taken, during which a very pleasant social interview was had by all present. The meeting was closed by a few well-timed and appropriate remarks by Dictator Cole, of Olive Branch Lodge, in the city.

The regular meeting of the L. and M. Society was held last evening, Mr. Whitehead, president, in the chair. This meeting was an adjourned meeting of the society called to hear the report of the committee of ten appointed by the Chair to solicit members for the ensuing year. The committee not having appeared to make a report, the following resolutions were adopted:

It was resolved that the affairs of the society be wound up and the keys of the hall be delivered to the owner of the building.

It was also resolved that a committee be appointed to sell the piano and other property of the society, and the proceeds to be turned over to the Treasurer of the society to pay off all the debts, and the balance, after paying all debts, to be disposed of by a resolution of the members of the society. The President appointed Mr. K. McKenzie, J. P. Richardson and W. F. Haines a committee to sell the property of the society. The meeting adjourned subject to the call of the Chair to hear the report of the committee.

The Carondelet Relief Association met at the drug store of V. B. S. Reber, Vice President I. B. Whitehead in the chair, on the 6th inst.

The chairman of the Disbursing Committee reported that since December 8th thirty-nine families—numbering in all 141 persons—had been supplied with coal.

The amount of coal issued to date was 639 bushels. It was further stated that unless funds were soon furnished from some source, the issuing of coal to the indigent poor would have to cease, so far as the Carondelet Relief Association was concerned.

On motion it was ordered that the bill for the amount of coal issued, amounting to $86 24, be paid.

On motion it was ordered that the printing bill of James Hogan, amounting to $12 50, be paid, and that the citizens having in charge the charity exhibition be requested to arrange for the same to be given on the 20th of January, at Turner Hall.

On motion it was resolved that Pierre Chouteau, Esq., be requested to act as treasurer of the charity exhibition to be given for the benefit of the poor of Carondelet.

ARTISTIC BRASSES.

Rare and beautiful BRASS CANDLESTICKS, TEA KETTLES, TREVIOTS, ANDIRONS, FENDERS and FIRE SETS are now displayed by the Simmons Hardware Co., and those who care to examine them are invited to call.

Importing all foreign goods direct, we save our purchasers all commissions.

The Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. have a young men's Bible class Sunday afternoons, at the same hour with their Chinese S. S. (3 p. m.) that numbers over fifty. It is taught by Prof. Lanius, of the Centenary M. E. Church.

Mr. E. H. Semple will conduct the young men's gospel meetings at the Y. M. C. A. building to-morrow at 4 p. m.

Mr. Walter C. Douglass will conduct the gospel meeting at the same place in the evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Judge Sanford B. Kellogg will conduct the testimony meeting at the same place on Monday evening.

Mr. E. W. Bliss, who has been laboring in gospel work at the Y. Y. C. A. Rooms, left this week for Brookfield, Mo., where he will hold a series of revival meetings in the Congregational Church.

The summary of Y. M. C. A. reports shows that they had last year 1,008 religious meetings of different kinds, with a total attendance of 83,793. This is independent, too, of Mr. Bliss's gospel work in their buildings, in which they participated. The association found employment for large numbers of worthy young men, cared for many sick, gave a complete series of fine entertainments and lectures, worked continuously in public institutions and did much other practical and benevolent work. The work was largely in excess of that for previous years.

The Y. M. C. A. reading room for railroad men at the Union Depot will be open by Thursday next. It will be very attractively fitted up.

The business men's daily noon prayer meetings will be renewed Monday in the second floor of No. 116 North Second street.

It is proposed to increase the Y. M. C. A. improvement fund this spring from $4,000 to $10,000. With this they will remodel and fit up their large concert hall, erect gymnasium and bath rooms, and make other needed and valuable improvements.

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Annual Library Meeting.

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Col. Hyde says he took the watch with him when he went to Jefferson Tuesday night—that is, he recollects having it when he left home that evening. While at the depot he had his coat buttoned up closely, and on the train he had no occasion to look for the time. Indeed he doesn't recollect having seen his watch from the time he left his residence in St. Louis. He did not notice its absence until Wednesday morning when he arose from his couch and felt some curiosity to know the time of day. He had carried it in his fob pocket and wore a leather guard around the neck. Watch and fob were gone, which would seem to indicate that the theft was perpetrated while Col. Hyde was sleeping. This theory was upset by the fact that both Col. Hyde and Col. Prather, who occupied the same room, had considerable sums of money about their clothes, and not a cent was touched, nor was anything disturbed. The only suspicious circumstance which would seem to locate the disappearance in Jefferson City was that Ben Finney, John Hodnett and one or two other lovers of a joke occupied rooms across the hall, from Col. Hyde. The seriousness with which they disclaimed any connection with the chronometer promptly disarmed suspicion, and now the affair is looked upon as a genuinine but very mysterious theft.

Col. Hyde is not the only newspaper man who has lost a watch on a Jefferson City trip. Mr. Stilson Hutchins had a similar experience, but the property was promptly returned as soon as the thieves learned who it belonged to. It takes a mighty mean thief to steal knowingly from a journalist.

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EAST ST. LOUIS.

Denis Kenny, a rather suspicious-looking character, was found wandering around the streets late last night and locked up for safe keeping.

An explosion occurred at the ice-houses of Jas. A. Smith & Son this morning, but resulted in no damage except the bursting of the boiler and machinery by which the ice is raised and the suspending of the work.

The war against the dramshop keepers without license is attracting large crowds to 'Squire Graney's court. J. M. Sullivan, the leader of the opposing party, has had four warrants a day, on an average, served him for the past week. The case of the city of East St. Louis against Edward Darby is set for hearing this evening.

The identity of the young man found frozen to death near the Stock Yards a few days ago remains as much a mystery as ever. It was thought yesterday morning that his relations had been found in the family of J. R. Stiles, a Justice of the Peace of Brooklyn. A son of Mr. Stiles called at the livery stable of Meyer V. Stratiman, and viewed the body yesterday evening, but was uncertain whether it was his missing brother. Mr. Stiles arrived himself this morning, and after carefully examining the body said it was not his son.

East St. Louis came near furnishing another victim to the list of deaths by exposure to the cold while under the influence of liquor. About 3 o'clock this morning Officer O'Brien was patrolling his beat near the Hezil Mills, when he discovered a man lying on the Indianapolis and St. Louis tracks in an insensible condition. Help was procured and the man was carried to the police station. Upon examination it was found that he was in a beastly intoxicated condition. Another half hour's exposure to the cold would certainly have placed him beyond all earthly help. The man is an habitual drunkard and a well-known baker of East St. Louis.

Funeral of W. Patrick Mullaly.

The funeral of W. P. Mullaly, whose sudden death was announced in the POST-DISPATCH of Thursday, took place this morning from the family residence on Fifteenth street, to St. John's Catholic Church. The large attendance evidenced the high esteem in which the deceased was held. At the church, which was deeply draped, a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Father Gleason, who, after the last benediction, delivered an appropriate discourse, in which he alluded in feeling terms to the high moral character and sterling worth of the deceased, the feeling remarks of the reverend gentleman causing the sobs of the bereaved family to become quite audible, and at its conclusion the coffin was placed in the hearse and the large procession of carriages moved toward Calvary Cemetery.

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